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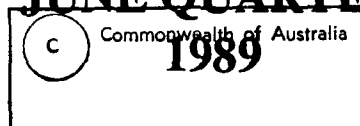
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TABLE 1  
AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS OF ALL MALE EMPLOYEES - AUSTRALIA  
Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6302.0)

Survey Reference Date	NSW \$	VIC \$	QLD \$	SA \$	WA \$	TAS \$	NT \$	ACT \$	AUSTRALIA \$
1982	335.45	317.63	317.60	302.78	331.53	310.70	366.95	378.85	325.55
1983	358.40	344.28	338.08	327.85	353.85	336.60	390.03	398.33	349.00
1984	392.55	380.30	365.93	360.33	388.03	367.93	425.03	432.66	382.53
1985	412.88	403.53	375.03	377.08	408.93	393.60	447.43	456.68	401.73
1986	444.53	431.35	405.60	404.48	449.23	422.95	485.95	493.60	432.93
1987	459.25	456.63	437.55	421.88	492.28	440.25	503.13	522.88	456.55
1988	495.55	487.35	459.20	455.18	513.50	470.50	519.40	547.80	487.00
1984-									
17 February	379.80	367.60	353.60	351.90	378.90	358.10	411.60	411.10	370.60
18 May	390.70	380.60	372.70	364.00	391.20	371.40	428.50	436.60	383.80
17 August	396.40	387.10	366.50	364.50	390.00	365.30	426.00	433.90	386.20
16 November	403.30	385.90	370.90	360.90	392.00	376.90	434.00	449.10	389.50
1985-									
15 February	407.50	387.20	367.80	371.30	398.80	383.60	435.00	451.20	392.70
17 May	409.70	398.50	370.30	371.90	401.40	390.20	445.50	455.50	397.20
16 August	412.00	407.10	377.20	377.40	414.30	393.40	449.10	455.70	403.10
15 November	422.30	421.30	384.80	387.70	421.20	407.20	460.10	464.30	413.90
1986-									
21 February	434.10	423.50	391.40	393.90	440.00	414.90	477.40	484.70	422.70
16 May	437.30	425.70	396.00	396.80	439.50	417.10	477.80	490.00	425.50
15 August	452.60	429.50	413.50	411.70	449.10	424.80	489.00	492.10	437.20
21 November	454.10	446.70	421.50	415.50	468.30	435.00	499.60	507.60	446.30
1987-									
20 February	447.60	447.80	425.30	408.00	468.20	440.10	495.90	513.20	444.50
15 May	455.60	451.10	433.50	411.80	480.20	438.20	505.60	518.90	450.90
21 August	458.60	454.50	445.60	425.70	487.30	440.00	508.50	524.00	457.00
20 November	475.20	473.10	441.10	442.00	494.80	442.70	502.50	535.40	470.00
1988-									
19 February	480.20	476.30	445.20	448.20	506.10	462.80	517.30	541.50	474.90
20 May	489.60	483.50	454.90	444.30	509.90	460.00	512.10	554.90	481.70
19 August	493.30	486.30	464.60	451.90	510.30	475.50	522.40	540.80	486.20
18 November	519.10	503.30	472.10	476.30	527.70	483.70	525.80	554.00	505.20
1989-									
17 February	524.20	512.20	472.60	480.50	542.20	494.70	536.30	555.80	511.60

TABLE 2

## INDEXES OF WEEKLY AWARD RATES OF PAY - ADULT MALES - AUSTRALIA

JUNE 1985 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics - (Cat. No. 6312.0)

End of	Federal Award	State Awards
June -		
1985	100.0	100.0
1986	103.8	103.9
1987	109.6	109.6
1988	114.9	113.3
1986 -		
January	103.8	103.8
February	103.8	103.8
March	103.8	103.8
April	103.8	103.8
May	103.8	103.9
June	103.8	103.9
July	106.2	106.3
August	106.2	106.3
September	106.2	106.3
October	106.2	106.3
November	106.2	106.3
December	106.2	106.3
1987 -		
January	106.4	106.3
February	106.4	106.3
March	109.6	109.6
April	109.6	109.6
May	109.6	109.6
June	109.6	109.6
July	109.6	109.6
August	109.8	109.7
September	110.3	109.7
October	110.7	109.7
November	110.9	109.9
December	112.0	110.2
1988 -		
January	112.2	110.3
February	114.6	112.6
March	114.7	112.9
April	114.7	113.1
May	114.6	113.3
June	114.7	113.5
July	114.9	113.6
August	115.1	113.7
September	117.7	115.9
October	118.0	116.2
November	118.1	116.3
December	118.1	116.5
1989 -		
January	118.6	116.6
February	118.6	116.7
March	121.0	118.6
April	122.3	118.9
May	122.4	119.0
June	122.4	119.1
Annual Change (%)	6.7	5.0

**TABLE 3**  
**INDEX OF AND AVERAGE HOURLY WAGE RATES - WAGES EMPLOYEES**  
**GARDEN ISLAND AND WILLIAMSTOWN DOCKYARDS**

1980-81 = 100

Source: Garden Island and Williamstown Dockyards

Period	Garden Island		Williamstown	
	Wages \$	Index	Wages \$	Index
1976-77	3.96	70.8	4.17	71.9
1977-78	4.33	77.5	4.58	79.0
1978-79	4.62	82.6	4.72	81.4
1979-80	4.97	88.9	5.09	87.8
1980-81	5.59	100.0	5.80	100.0
1981-82	6.57	117.5	6.78	116.9
1982-83	7.65	136.9	8.20	141.4
1983-84	7.97	142.6	8.81	151.9
1984-85	8.89	159.0	9.42	162.4
1985-86	9.05	161.9	9.97	171.9
1986-87	9.92	177.5	10.35	178.4
1987-88	10.74	192.1	-	-
1985-86				
December	8.90	59.2	9.97	171.9
January	8.90	159.2	10.06	173.4
February	8.90	159.2	10.11	174.3
March	8.90	159.2	10.12	174.5
April	8.94	159.9	10.16	175.2
May	9.35	167.3	10.17	175.3
June	9.35	167.3	10.25	176.7
1986-87				
July	9.61	171.9	10.18	175.5
August	9.68	173.2	10.13	174.7
September	9.80	175.3	10.22	176.2
October	9.77	174.8	10.68	184.1
November	9.80	175.3	10.50	181.0
December	9.81	175.5	10.43	179.8
January	9.99	178.7	10.41	179.5
February	10.03	179.4	10.27	177.1
March	9.98	178.5	10.44	180.0
April	10.16	181.8	10.37	178.8
May	10.12	181.0	10.17	175.3
June	10.32	184.6	10.36	178.6
1987-88				
July	10.24	183.2	10.82	186.6
August	10.20	182.5	10.83	186.7
September	10.31	184.4	10.73	185.0
October	10.39	185.9	10.83	186.7
November	13.43	240.3	10.85	187.1
December	10.68	191.1	10.89	187.8
January	10.44	186.8	12.04	207.6
February	10.48	187.5	11.12	191.7
March	10.64	190.3	11.40	196.6
April	10.66	190.7	-	-
May	10.70	191.4	-	-
June	10.74	192.1	-	-
1988-89				
July	10.71	191.6	-	-
August	10.88	194.6	-	-
September	11.14	199.3	-	-
October	11.34	202.9	-	-
November	11.50	205.7	-	-
December	11.32	202.5	-	-
January	11.47	205.2	-	-
February	11.49	205.5	-	-
March	11.45	204.8	-	-

Note: As from March 1989, details for the above table will no longer be available.

TABLE 4

INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES -  
ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION MATERIALS

## AUSTRALIA

1979-80 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6407.0)

Period	Value	Weight (a)	Conductors 20.96%	Conduit and Accessories 9.87%	Switchboards and Switch Gear 28.92%	All Electrical Materials Excluding Lamps and Light Fittings	All Electrical Materials 100%
1980-81			105.2	112.5	111.9	109.7	109.7
1981-82			115.6	119.9	126.0	121.3	121.9
1982-83			135.2	130.9	140.5	137.1	137.4
1983-84			150.3	143.6	146.2	147.2	146.4
1984-85			171.9	152.2	150.4	158.2	155.3
1985-86			197.0	164.1	161.2	174.3	170.1
1986-87			216.3	178.9	183.7	194.4	188.8
1987-88			301.3	210.3	206.5	240.3	221.5
1984-85							
April			183.2	153.4	150.0	162.2	158.6
May			198.0	157.1	152.4	169.2	163.4
June			195.1	157.3	155.0	169.4	164.0
1985-86							
July			193.1	158.2	156.2	169.4	164.2
August			195.5	160.0	156.8	170.9	165.3
September			194.4	162.4	156.9	171.0	165.4
October			192.8	162.4	158.1	171.0	166.9
November			195.5	162.6	159.8	172.8	168.4
December			195.4	163.7	161.0	173.5	169.7
January			196.1	164.5	163.0	174.9	171.1
February			201.4	165.9	164.5	177.7	173.7
March			201.9	168.3	164.4	178.2	174.7
April			200.6	168.6	164.3	177.8	174.0
May			196.7	166.1	164.8	176.2	173.1
June			200.8	166.6	165.1	177.9	175.1
1986-87							
July			213.0	168.1	167.9	193.9	179.1
August			215.8	172.3	171.5	187.2	182.1
September			217.0	174.3	172.9	188.6	183.6
October			214.6	175.0	179.2	190.9	186.0
November			211.1	179.9	182.3	192.0	186.9
December			211.3	190.1	183.1	192.5	187.3
January			210.8	180.4	184.0	192.8	188.0
February			214.9	181.2	189.8	197.2	191.1
March			217.1	182.0	191.2	198.8	192.4
April			218.8	182.5	193.1	200.4	194.3
May			217.6	183.1	193.6	200.3	194.5
June			233.6	187.5	186.2	207.9	199.8
1987-88							
July			233.8	187.8	197.0	208.4	200.7
August			240.3	192.9	198.2	212.1	203.0
September			242.1	197.0	199.8	214.1	204.7
October			247.5	199.6	201.9	217.5	206.9
November			280.1	209.6	205.0	232.1	215.8
December			304.4	210.9	205.3	241.0	221.3
January			340.7	211.3	207.8	255.0	230.2
February			338.3	213.2	209.7	255.4	230.6
March			342.9	219.7	210.2	258.3	232.8
April			344.9	220.4	211.9	259.9	234.5
May			348.3	229.0	215.3	264.2	238.0
June			351.8	231.8	215.5	266.0	239.1
1988-89							
July			338.4	229.8	215.4	260.9	236.8
August			334.5	230.3	216.1	260.0	236.4
September			328.2	227.9	217.9	258.2	236.4
October			340.0	227.5	219.8	263.2	239.4
November			370.0	232.8	221.2	275.3	247.2
December			382.2	232.6	222.1	280.0	250.0
January			383.1	233.9	223.1	281.0	250.8
February			375.6	234.1	223.4	278.6	251.0
March			384.6	235.6	227.9	284.1	254.0
April			403.0	236.6	228.3	290.9	258.0
May			402.4	236.6	228.8	291.0	257.9

(a) Composition and weighting pattern as at reference base year.

TABLE 5

PRICE INDEXES OF METALLIC MATERIALS USED IN  
FABRICATED METAL PRODUCTS INDUSTRY

Australia 1984-85 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6411.0)

Period	Iron and Steel	Aluminium	Copper and Brass
1980-81	74.1	75.2	82.5
1981-82	81.6	77.8	82.6
1982-83	89.9	83.4	90.9
1983-84	96.5	86.3	94.3
1984-85	100.0	100.0	100.0
1985-86	110.1	103.5	108.0
1986-87	115.3	113.9	114.4
1987-88	124.6	134.5	145.8
1985-86			
July	106.0	101.1	111.0
August	106.3	101.3	108.7
September	106.7	100.3	107.1
October	109.0	100.6	105.6
November	111.4	101.1	107.1
December	111.3	102.3	108.3
January	111.3	102.9	108.6
February	111.8	104.1	107.8
March	111.4	107.2	108.3
April	111.6	106.4	108.1
May	111.5	107.4	106.4
June	112.6	107.3	109.1
1986-87			
July	113.4	108.1	112.6
August	114.1	109.6	116.8
September	114.1	111.2	116.1
October	113.9	110.4	114.5
November	113.7	113.2	112.6
December	113.5	112.0	112.5
January	114.2	114.8	112.2
February	116.8	115.5	112.2
March	116.7	116.3	114.1
April	117.4	118.3	116.3
May	117.6	117.9	116.1
June	118.3	119.3	117.3
1987-88			
July	119.1	120.4	121.4
August	120.1	122.0	127.9
September	120.3	126.4	125.4
October	120.3	128.1	131.7
November	121.8	129.6	151.5
December	122.5	132.6	165.0
January	125.1	134.9	175.1
February	128.9	134.4	151.5
March	128.9	137.2	149.5
April	129.1	140.4	152.8
May	128.9	152.5	145.0
June	129.8	155.5	152.8
1988-89			
July	131.2	157.3	148.6
August	131.8	158.7	138.5
September	133.5	159.8	146.7
October	133.8	159.8	153.8
November	133.6	156.6	175.2
December	133.8	157.0	177.5
January	134.0	156.6	177.5
February	135.1	156.0	167.9
March	137.0	158.8	180.2
April	138.7	157.6	176.6
May	139.3	157.5	173.0

TABLE 6  
 INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES - COPPER MATERIALS USED  
 IN THE MANUFACTURE OF ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT

AUSTRALIA

1983-84 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6410.0)

Period	Copper Materials used in the Manufacture of		
	Industrial Electric Motors	Distribution Transformers	Power Transformers
1981-82	NA	88.3	87.1
1982-83	NA	98.0	97.0
1983-84	100.0	100.0	100.0
1984-85	105.4	105.8	108.1
1985-86	115.4	113.7	119.8
1986-87	124.4	122.6	129.9
1987-88	162.5	155.1	169.8
1988-89	182.0	167.3	195.1
1985-86			
July	115.7	116.2	120.9
August	113.5	113.6	119.6
September	112.0	110.0	117.3
October	110.3	109.4	115.6
November	112.5	111.6	117.0
December	112.8	111.7	117.9
January	115.9	115.9	118.4
February	115.7	115.2	120.4
March	118.4	115.7	120.9
April	119.6	115.6	124.1
May	117.8	114.0	122.6
June	120.1	116.0	124.3
1986-87			
July	123.7	119.2	127.5
August	124.7	120.6	129.5
September	125.6	121.3	131.1
October	123.4	123.6	129.1
November	120.8	121.2	126.3
December	121.3	121.9	126.8
January	123.3	122.4	128.8
February	122.5	121.7	129.3
March	124.2	123.6	131.4
April	125.0	124.2	131.6
May	128.4	124.6	131.9
June	130.2	126.6	135.5
1987-88			
July	135.9	132.9	140.9
August	141.3	138.0	145.9
September	138.0	134.6	142.6
October	144.4	140.7	149.2
November	171.9	164.6	178.5
December	181.8	173.5	187.6
January	196.3	186.7	202.0
February	169.7	160.4	176.4
March	169.2	156.5	173.1
April	171.3	161.9	180.7
May	163.4	153.9	176.7
June	171.7	158.0	183.4
1988-89			
July	161.8	147.6	173.5
August	153.5	140.1	166.3
September	162.2	148.4	174.8
October	174.0	160.1	186.6
November	191.7	177.1	201.7
December	196.4	181.7	207.1
January	195.5	180.9	206.1
February	182.9	168.9	193.2
March	198.5	184.0	208.9
April	195.6	178.4	213.3
May	190.3	172.8	208.4
June	182.0	167.7	200.9

TABLE 7

## INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES - MATERIALS USED IN BUILDING

## OTHER THAN HOUSE BUILDING

## AUSTRALIA

1979-80 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6407.0)

Period	Wood and and Wood Products	Joinery Products(a)	Basic Iron and Steel	Structural Metal Products	Other Fabricated Metal Products
1979-80	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1980-81	114.3	114.7	113.2	113.9	112.9
1981-82	126.5	127.7	126.6	126.4	126.2
1982-83	139.9	141.7	138.6	137.8	141.9
1983-84	149.8	151.3	143.9	143.7	154.7
1984-85	163.7	165.4	151.5	148.5	161.2
1985-86	177.6	180.1	164.1	158.4	177.6
1986-87	188.5	192.6	175.8	171.0	192.8
1987-88	203.7	210.1	191.4	184.3	207.5
1986-87					
July	185.2	189.0	168.3	165.9	185.6
August	186.3	190.0	168.7	166.9	187.5
September	186.4	190.2	171.9	168.1	189.4
October	187.0	191.0	173.5	168.5	191.5
November	187.1	191.3	174.5	169.1	192.4
December	187.4	191.5	175.0	170.1	192.9
January	187.9	192.1	175.6	170.9	193.3
February	189.4	193.4	177.7	171.8	194.6
March	190.7	194.8	179.7	173.9	194.8
April	191.2	195.7	181.5	174.5	196.8
May	191.3	195.9	181.6	175.1	197.0
June	191.9	196.6	181.6	176.8	197.9
1987-88					
July	193.8	199.2	182.3	177.5	198.0
August	194.4	199.7	182.8	178.0	200.1
September	196.3	202.3	184.1	178.7	200.7
October	197.6	204.2	180.1	180.7	201.6
November	199.0	205.4	181.1	182.4	203.3
December	203.2	210.5	181.1	183.5	206.8
January	204.1	211.4	182.9	184.7	208.9
February	206.4	213.4	183.7	185.9	210.1
March	208.0	214.4	184.5	186.6	212.2
April	211.4	217.7	184.7	188.4	214.2
May	214.0	220.4	189.2	191.8	216.2
June	216.0	222.3	180.2	193.1	217.2
1988-89					
July	217.4	223.7	202.4	193.9	222.7
August	218.4	223.9	203.9	195.0	224.5
September	220.2	225.9	204.1	197.1	225.0
October	221.8	227.8	207.9	198.3	224.9
November	222.6	228.4	209.8	198.9	224.3
December	223.6	229.6	210.9	199.5	224.4
January	226.1	232.2	212.9	200.9	226.7
February	227.7	233.8	212.6	201.4	227.5
March	230.1	236.1	214.2	203.1	228.9
April	231.4	237.0	218.0	204.2	229.7
May	234.4	240.5	220.2	206.6	234.1

(a) Includes built-in furniture, partitions, ready-made windows and doors, and other joinery.

TABLE 7

## INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES - MATERIALS USED IN BUILDING

## OTHER THAN HOUSE BUILDING - Continued

## AUSTRALIA

1979-80 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6407.0)

Period	Aluminium Fabricated Products	All Mechanical Services	Cement and Concrete Products	Industrial Machinery and Equipment	All Groups (a)
1979-80	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1980-81	115.9	111.0	113.0	111.2	112.9
1981-82	128.4	123.5	125.1	124.2	125.4
1982-83	141.1	138.3	143.0	139.9	139.6
1983-84	151.2	146.5	149.9	146.8	147.3
1984-85	159.7	156.2	159.0	157.2	155.5
1985-86	168.3	178.0	164.3	193.7	167.9
1986-87	177.8	197.3	170.7	207.7	180.9
1987-88	197.1	213.1	179.5	218.4	196.8
1986-87					
July	172.7	191.7	167.5	200.8	175.4
August	173.6	193.6	167.4	203.7	176.5
September	173.9	195.2	167.8	205.9	177.9
October	174.5	196.1	167.9	207.4	178.8
November	175.6	196.0	168.8	206.9	179.4
December	176.0	195.6	169.7	205.8	179.9
January	177.2	196.7	171.0	207.0	180.7
February	177.6	198.3	172.3	209.2	182.1
March	180.8	199.4	172.7	210.6	183.6
April	182.2	200.4	173.9	211.0	184.8
May	193.9	200.6	174.3	211.0	185.2
June	185.9	203.5	175.0	213.5	186.9
1987-88					
July	186.0	203.6	175.7	212.6	187.7
August	189.6	205.3	175.8	213.6	188.9
September	190.1	205.7	175.9	212.8	189.8
October	192.4	207.5	176.4	213.5	191.7
November	197.2	210.8	177.4	214.8	194.3
December	197.6	212.4	178.0	215.5	196.2
January	199.5	216.0	178.9	219.0	198.5
February	199.8	215.9	180.3	219.5	199.4
March	201.0	218.4	182.4	223.1	200.9
April	203.3	219.9	183.6	224.9	202.6
May	204.7	220.5	183.9	225.0	204.8
June	204.4	221.4	185.6	226.2	206.2
1988-89					
July	208.3	220.6	187.6	223.4	207.0
August	207.8	221.0	180.4	223.5	208.1
September	210.2	221.7	181.7	223.7	209.4
October	211.7	223.6	182.3	226.3	211.3
November	212.0	226.4	183.2	227.5	213.4
December	213.6	226.3	184.1	225.8	214.3
January	214.9	227.8	186.8	227.1	215.8
February	216.5	228.2	187.9	228.0	216.5
March	216.7	229.6	189.3	228.4	218.2
April	218.4	232.2	200.6	230.7	220.0
May	219.0	233.8	201.2	233.0	222.0

(a) Includes components other than those shown.

TABLE 8

INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES - MATERIALS USED IN  
MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES

1984-85 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No 6411.0)

Period	Home Produced Materials			Imported Materials			Manu- facturing Division (ASIC Division c)
	Metal Ores and Concen- trates	Coal, Crude Petroleum and Gas	Electricity	Chemicals and Chemical based Materials	Components for Machinery and Equipment	Basic Iron Steel	
1984-85	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1985-86	107.9	99.4	102.9	121.3	122.2	119.9	104.9
1986-87	113.8	79.3	107.4	132.8	147.6	125.4	105.4
1987-88	132.1	82.6	112.3	142.0	148.0	128.2	111.4
1985-86							
February	105.6	115.7	102.7	124.7	126.0	124.4	108.7
March	105.4	83.7	102.5	125.3	127.1	122.1	99.4
April	103.0	67.2	102.5	124.8	127.4	121.2	94.2
May	100.4	62.0	104.5	126.7	129.3	120.0	93.5
June	104.9	64.6	104.8	124.4	131.5	121.6	95.6
1986-87							
July	110.0	61.4	105.5	130.2	138.1	125.0	97.8
August	113.7	53.7	108.0	133.2	146.4	127.8	97.9
September	113.8	76.3	106.5	136.6	149.8	128.5	105.4
October	113.3	79.3	106.7	135.3	152.7	127.4	105.9
November	113.3	79.6	107.1	134.8	150.3	126.6	104.9
December	113.7	80.1	107.3	134.7	148.1	125.4	105.2
January	113.7	81.6	107.4	133.9	148.2	126.0	106.2
February	111.3	90.7	107.8	133.1	148.4	125.6	108.9
March	111.1	88.5	107.7	130.7	148.0	124.6	108.4
April	114.3	88.8	107.7	130.5	146.7	123.2	108.3
May	118.2	85.8	108.5	131.3	147.8	123.0	108.1
June	119.3	85.7	108.6	129.6	146.2	121.8	108.1
1987-88							
July	121.1	85.8	111.9	130.1	146.0	121.5	108.7
August	124.9	87.2	111.4	132.4	147.2	123.3	110.5
September	121.2	86.5	111.8	132.4	147.1	121.4	109.3
October	124.8	84.2	112.1	133.7	148.2	121.7	108.6
November	132.3	84.3	112.2	137.4	148.6	127.3	110.0
December	137.5	86.1	111.9	144.0	148.4	127.1	111.9
January	140.0	84.0	111.8	144.1	150.5	130.6	112.4
February	136.1	81.9	112.2	147.3	149.2	135.3	112.3
March	133.5	78.7	112.1	151.7	148.5	133.8	112.3
April	136.4	78.3	112.6	151.7	148.6	134.4	112.4
May	138.0	77.8	113.8	149.9	147.5	131.9	114.1
June	139.6	74.9	113.9	148.8	145.9	129.5	114.0
1988-89							
July	136.5	73.0	117.4	147.5	142.1	131.5	111.9
August	139.2	72.5	117.6	152.0	141.6	131.7	112.1
September	143.0	71.9	117.8	154.4	141.6	134.9	112.8
October	145.6	64.1	117.5	150.9	141.5	134.1	110.4
November	150.2	60.3	117.9	149.8	138.7	133.1	109.1
December	150.0	62.7	118.3	146.1	136.3	132.6	108.3
January	146.3	70.7	118.7	144.9	135.9	132.2	110.6
February	151.2	70.9	119.0	146.0	132.7	134.9	111.2
March	154.3	75.2	118.1	150.6	137.3	137.0	114.9
April	165.3	77.8	118.8	151.5	138.6	137.6	117.5
May	165.0	78.4	118.9	157.8	139.9	138.3	118.6

TABLE 9  
INDEX OF CONSUMER PRICES - ELEVENTH SERIES - AUSTRALIA  
Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat No 6401.0) 1980-81=100

Period	Food	Clothing	Housing	Household Equipment and Operation		Transportation	Tobacco and Alcohol	Health & Personal Care	Recreation & Education	All Groups
				Housing	Operation					
1980-81	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	-	100.0
1981-82	108.6	107.1	111.1	110.6	110.3	109.2	124.2	124.2	100.6	110.4
1982-83	118.5	114.2	122.8	123.8	124.2	124.1	153.2	153.2	107.7	123.1
1983-84	127.7	120.9	131.5	132.6	134.8	139.6	146.5	146.5	114.5	131.6
1984-85	134.4	128.4	141.4	138.9	143.4	151.3	121.8	121.8	118.9	137.2
1985-86	144.7	139.0	153.4	150.2	155.5	165.1	133.0	133.0	129.5	148.7
1986-87	156.3	152.3	164.8	161.2	172.9	182.5	154.4	154.4	141.5	162.6
1987-88	164.5	164.2	176.2	172.4	186.4	197.8	171.9	171.9	152.6	174.5
1984-85										
September	131.6	124.9	137.9	136.2	139.7	147.5	118.2	118.2	116.7	134.0
December	133.5	128.1	140.2	137.6	140.9	150.5	120.8	120.8	116.9	135.9
March	134.9	128.4	142.2	139.7	143.4	152.4	123.1	123.1	119.5	137.8
June	137.4	132.0	145.4	142.1	149.7	154.6	125.0	125.0	122.5	141.1
1985-86										
September	139.9	133.6	148.7	145.0	152.9	159.0	128.5	128.5	125.9	144.2
December	143.2	138.1	152.2	149.3	153.8	162.8	130.2	130.2	127.6	147.1
March	146.1	139.0	155.0	152.1	159.0	167.5	133.5	133.5	131.2	150.5
June	149.4	145.4	157.8	154.3	156.4	171.0	139.6	139.6	133.4	153.0
1986-87										
September	153.5	146.1	160.5	156.9	164.4	174.9	143.3	143.3	137.0	157.0
December	156.0	152.2	163.1	160.3	171.9	180.2	153.6	153.6	139.1	161.5
March	157.7	153.1	166.2	162.1	176.8	185.2	158.7	158.7	143.8	164.7
June	157.3	157.8	169.4	165.6	178.4	189.7	162.0	162.0	146.0	167.2
1987-88										
September	160.2	159.1	172.3	168.8	181.9	192.6	163.7	163.7	148.7	170.0
December	162.2	163.8	174.4	171.4	186.7	195.9	168.4	168.4	149.5	172.9
March	165.0	163.9	177.2	173.4	188.6	199.8	176.2	176.2	155.3	176.0
June	170.4	170.1	180.8	176.1	188.2	203.0	179.2	179.2	156.9	179.0
1988-89										
September	175.1	170.8	188.0	179.0	191.1	205.6	180.6	180.6	158.1	182.4
December	177.9	176.0	199.7	181.8	191.7	206.0	181.5	181.5	161.9	186.2
March	180.5	175.9	197.7	183.1	193.6	210.1	191.1	191.1	163.2	188.0
June	186.2	180.8	208.1	185.0	198.2	214.6	192.1	192.1	165.0	192.6
(a)	March Quarter 1982 = 100									

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TABLE 10  
INDEX OF CONSUMER PRICES - SELECTED ITEMS - AUSTRALIA  
1980-81 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat No 6401.0)

Period	Housing Group			Transportation Group										Postal and Telephone Services	Fuel and Light
	Private Houses	Gov't Houses	Total (a)	Private Motoring					Alcoholic Drinks						
				Public Fares	Motor Vehicles	Fuel	Servicing Repairs & Parts	Total (a)	Beer	Wine	Spirits	Total (b)			
1980-81	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1981-82	109.5	111.8	109.8	113.9	110.3	107.9	110.2	110.3	110.5	106.4	107.9	109.5	107.2	115.8	107.2
1982-83	121.1	132.9	122.5	128.4	119.6	125.0	124.2	124.2	125.9	115.8	117.1	123.0	117.8	141.4	117.8
1983-84	129.8	142.3	131.2	143.8	128.1	137.7	132.5	134.8	137.9	124.5	132.6	133.9	127.6	152.8	127.6
1984-85	139.4	155.5	141.3	154.1	136.2	148.0	139.7	143.4	149.2	133.1	134.2	144.4	133.4	162.2	133.4
1985-86	153.0	172.2	153.4	164.1	153.0	156.6	151.9	155.5	162.4	136.7	147.0	155.8	140.1	172.1	140.1
1986-87	168.7	187.5	164.8	181.1	161.2	160.6	168.8	172.9	179.1	147.6	162.4	171.2	145.3	180.7	145.3
1987-88	186.6	215.8	176.2	195.0	201.4	163.3	181.2	186.4	195.4	156.7	177.1	185.6	156.8	191.9	156.8
1984-85	138.0	155.4	140.0	154.5	133.6	142.7	138.6	140.9	148.2	134.3	132.6	143.7	130.6	160.7	130.6
December	140.5	156.8	142.2	155.2	137.5	145.6	140.0	143.4	150.4	134.5	134.3	145.4	134.6	164.8	134.6
March	143.6	158.2	145.4	155.7	141.9	159.7	143.2	149.7	152.5	134.4	137.7	147.3	137.6	166.4	137.6
1985-86	147.3	170.0	148.7	159.9	145.0	163.6	145.8	152.9	156.8	136.2	140.8	151.0	137.6	168.9	137.6
September	150.8	171.6	152.2	163.5	149.4	157.8	149.4	153.8	160.4	135.8	145.6	154.0	140.1	171.0	140.1
December	154.7	171.9	155.0	166.3	156.7	161.7	154.0	159.0	164.4	137.2	149.1	157.5	141.3	174.4	141.3
March	159.0	175.1	157.8	166.8	160.8	143.4	158.2	156.4	168.0	137.6	152.6	160.5	141.3	174.0	141.3
1986-87	162.8	183.4	160.5	177.3	168.9	152.4	162.6	164.4	172.0	140.2	156.0	164.2	142.4	177.5	142.4
September	166.5	186.5	163.1	181.0	180.2	162.7	166.2	171.9	176.3	147.9	160.4	169.1	145.5	180.9	145.5
December	170.5	188.9	166.2	182.8	185.9	166.1	171.0	176.8	181.7	150.3	164.0	173.6	146.5	182.0	146.5
March	174.8	191.1	169.4	183.3	189.7	161.2	175.2	178.4	186.5	152.1	169.2	177.8	146.9	182.4	146.9
1987-88	179.3	210.4	172.3	191.2	194.2	160.4	177.6	181.9	189.8	154.3	171.7	180.8	155.1	190.0	155.1
September	183.6	214.9	174.4	193.8	199.3	167.1	179.9	186.7	193.8	154.0	175.1	183.6	158.1	192.1	158.1
December	189.2	218.2	177.2	197.0	203.6	167.9	181.4	188.6	197.5	156.8	178.5	187.2	157.0	192.7	157.0
March	194.3	219.5	180.8	198.1	208.6	157.7	185.7	188.2	200.4	161.5	183.0	190.8	157.0	192.9	157.0
1988-89	199.7	233.5	188.0	212.3	213.7	156.8	189.2	191.1	200.5	165.8	186.1	192.5	158.7	200.2	158.7
September	204.3	239.2	199.7	215.4	216.4	152.9	192.0	191.7	195.3	167.7	189.9	190.7	162.6	201.1	162.6
December	209.5	241.9	197.7	215.8	219.6	152.9	195.0	193.6	197.9	168.7	193.5	193.2	160.7	201.4	160.7
March	213.9	243.4	208.1	216.6	221.0	165.7	194.5	198.2	201.1	173.8	200.2	197.6	157.2	201.6	157.2
June															

(a) Includes components other than those shown.

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TABLE 11  
STATISTICS OF SHIP AND BOAT BUILDING AND REPAIRING - AUSTRALIA  
Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat No 8203.0)

Period	No of Establishments	Persons Employed	Wages and Salaries		Turnover \$'000	Value Added		As Percentage of Turnover
			Total \$'000	Per Employee \$		Total \$'000	Per \$ of Wages & Salaries \$	
Ship and Boat Building and Repairing								
1971-72	451	20,586	93,522	4,543	217,084	102,509	1.10	47.22
1972-73	473	21,454	104,031	4,849	231,414	124,807	1.20	53.93
1973-74	493	19,497	112,253	5,757	244,129	143,739	1.28	58.88
1974-75	318	18,994	137,549	7,242	299,120	180,942	1.32	60.49
1975-76	339	18,357	152,539	8,309	353,787	220,413	1.44	62.30
1976-77	330	16,840	159,789	9,489	333,427	213,355	1.34	63.99
1977-78	332	15,683	162,544	10,364	365,517	220,587	1.36	60.35
1978-79	325	14,328	144,117	10,058	357,815	203,920	1.41	56.99
1979-80	340	14,459	164,214	11,357	418,854	240,628	1.47	57.45
1980-81	335	14,672	179,025	12,202	455,354	258,210	1.44	56.71
1981-82	319	14,792	210,101	14,204	527,236	301,586	1.44	57.20
1982-83	308	14,025	225,341	16,067	553,488	311,990	1.38	56.37
1983-84	277	13,700	236,600	17,270	618,400	345,200	1.46	55.82
1984-85	268	13,400	246,100	18,366	623,300	347,000	1.41	55.67
1985-86	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
1986-87	299	11,800	276,800	23,458	789,100	446,900	1.61	56.63
Ship Building and Repair								
1971-72	99	17,245	81,189	4,708	177,991	93,102	1.15	52.31
1972-73	102	17,927	89,876	5,013	185,770	103,655	1.15	55.80
1973-74	105	15,973	96,224	6,024	187,105	115,893	1.20	61.94
1974-75	90	16,018	120,309	7,511	243,584	154,579	1.28	63.46
1975-76	87	15,209	131,645	8,656	280,296	185,073	1.41	66.03
1976-77	81	13,520	134,206	9,926	239,309	169,674	1.26	70.90
1977-78	82	12,410	136,133	10,970	265,338	174,164	1.40	65.64
1978-79	78	10,950	113,202	13,338	235,407	151,602	1.34	64.40
1979-80	81	11,286	134,619	11,928	298,689	190,855	1.42	63.90
1980-81	74	11,644	147,636	12,679	324,880	207,341	1.40	63.82
1981-82	78	11,777	175,230	14,879	387,213	244,676	1.40	63.19
1982-83	77	11,590	193,434	16,890	424,816	263,359	1.36	61.99
1983-84	73	11,400	204,400	17,930	480,600	287,000	1.40	59.72
1984-85	72	11,200	213,500	19,063	485,600	291,000	1.36	59.93
1985-86	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
1986-87	70	9,000	230,200	25,578	599,400	362,200	1.57	60.43

NA - Data not available due to the cancellation of the Manufacturing Census by the Australian Bureau of Statistics

TABLE 12  
AVERAGE EARNINGS INDEX FOR SELECTED MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES

UK

1985 = 100

Source: Department of Employment Gazette - UK.

Period	SIC 1980					All Manufac Indus. (a)
	Chemicals and Man-made Fibres	Metal Processing and Manu- facturing	Mech- anical Engin- eering	Metal Goods and Instruments	Electrical and Elec- tronic En- gineering	
1983	84.9	83.0	82.6	85.5	83.9	84.3
1984	92.1	92.0	90.6	92.6	91.7	91.7
1985	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1986	107.9	106.5	106.9	107.4	108.0	107.7
1987	116.9	116.5	114.7	116.0	117.6	116.3
1988	126.9	128.0	125.3	126.3	128.5	126.2
1985-						
January	95.4	97.7	95.3	95.5	95.3	96.0
February	95.1	93.4	96.1	96.7	96.3	96.1
March	96.6	96.8	98.1	98.7	99.5	97.9
April	97.0	103.5	98.0	98.5	101.6	99.1
May	97.5	96.3	99.0	100.2	99.4	98.9
June	99.8	96.8	100.6	100.2	100.4	100.8
July	101.4	109.5	101.4	100.4	100.7	101.5
August	100.9	97.3	99.7	99.4	99.3	99.7
September	100.4	108.2	101.2	100.9	100.2	101.2
October	100.7	97.3	101.9	101.5	101.2	101.2
November	109.0	97.5	104.5	104.6	102.2	103.6
December	106.1	105.7	104.3	103.4	104.0	104.3
1986-						
January	102.4	103.7	103.1	103.4	103.9	103.7
February	102.8	99.1	104.9	104.0	104.1	103.9
March	104.0	101.6	105.9	105.9	105.7	105.3
April	103.9	111.6	106.8	104.9	109.4	106.6
May	105.8	102.4	105.8	107.1	106.2	106.1
June	107.6	105.5	106.8	107.4	109.5	108.6
July	107.4	113.2	108.6	107.8	108.0	108.4
August	107.4	104.5	106.2	107.4	107.4	107.4
September	107.8	104.5	106.7	108.1	107.8	108.2
October	109.8	114.5	107.7	108.6	109.7	109.2
November	118.1	105.1	109.7	112.6	110.9	111.7
December	117.6	112.3	111.1	111.2	113.7	113.0
1987-						
January	110.8	113.1	109.8	110.4	111.9	111.7
February	112.1	108.0	111.4	112.5	112.2	112.3
March	111.1	108.4	112.2	113.0	114.4	113.2
April	113.7	121.3	111.4	112.7	117.1	114.0
May	114.9	113.3	112.4	114.0	115.7	114.7
June	116.6	112.8	115.3	116.6	119.3	117.2
July	118.9	129.1	116.5	117.1	118.9	118.1
August	117.0	110.9	115.4	116.3	117.8	116.0
September	114.6	114.6	115.7	118.0	118.8	117.2
October	117.4	130.0	116.7	118.5	119.6	118.8
November	127.9	114.5	119.5	122.7	121.5	120.9
December	228.2	122.1	120.3	120.4	124.4	122.4
1988 -						
January	121.3	126.2	120.2	120.7	124.6	121.1
February	120.3	115.7	121.4	123.2	125.7	120.3
March	120.5	117.6	124.6	122.7	126.1	123.3
April	125.1	136.5	122.9	124.3	128.5	124.7
May	125.1	129.1	124.3	125.7	126.5	124.9
June	126.8	124.0	123.9	126.3	129.1	126.6
July	126.0	141.7	126.7	128.0	128.7	127.9
August	125.9	129.8	124.9	127.1	127.1	125.6
September	126.1	123.4	125.4	127.3	128.0	126.4
October	128.4	142.9	127.4	128.2	130.7	128.7
November	139.2	124.2	129.5	131.3	131.7	130.8
December	138.5	134.1	132.6	130.5	135.7	133.5
1989-						
January	131.3	138.4	132.7	132.8	135.3	132.6
February	130.9	126.4	133.3	132.3	136.1	132.5

(a) Includes components other than those shown.

TABLE 13  
 INDEX OF PRODUCER PRICES  
 MATERIALS AND FUEL PURCHASED BY SELECTED BROAD SECTORS OF INDUSTRY  
 UNITED KINGDOM

1985 = 100

Source: Monthly Digest of Statistics - U.K.

Period	SIC 1980					Total Manufac- turing (a)
	Chemical Industry	Metal Manu- facturing	Mech- anical Engin- eering	Electrical and Electronic Engineering	Instrument Engineering	
1984	96.4	96.6	95.1	96.2	96.1	98.9
1985	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1986	82.9	95.3	101.4	99.4	101.7	92.4
1987	86.8	99.2	104.4	104.1	105.8	95.3
1988	85.7	110.3	111.6	113.0	112.6	98.4
1985-						
January	102.5	105.0	99.4	100.5	99.5	104.7
February	105.4	106.4	100.3	101.7	99.9	106.1
March	104.8	103.5	100.1	101.0	99.8	104.8
April	102.4	101.3	100.1	100.7	100.0	102.6
May	101.6	101.3	100.1	100.7	99.9	101.5
June	100.4	99.6	100.0	100.1	99.9	100.0
July	98.9	97.7	99.5	99.2	99.7	97.7
August	97.6	97.8	99.7	99.2	99.8	96.8
September	97.8	97.4	99.8	99.0	99.8	96.2
October	95.7	95.2	99.7	98.6	100.0	95.3
November	96.2	95.8	100.0	98.8	100.3	96.1
December	96.0	98.7	100.8	99.8	100.8	97.9
1986-						
January	93.6	99.4	101.5	100.4	101.5	97.7
February	89.1	98.9	101.7	100.5	101.7	96.7
March	83.1	96.9	101.0	99.3	101.3	94.3
April	81.3	95.4	101.0	98.7	101.2	92.3
May	82.3	94.3	100.8	98.2	101.1	91.8
June	79.4	93.5	100.7	98.3	101.1	89.8
July	76.6	90.7	100.8	97.8	101.1	88.0
August	79.0	91.8	100.9	98.2	101.3	88.8
September	80.2	93.9	101.4	99.4	101.9	90.3
October	81.7	95.0	101.7	99.9	102.3	91.3
November	83.2	95.6	102.1	100.3	102.6	92.9
December	85.4	98.6	103.0	101.6	103.4	95.4
1987-						
January	88.7	98.3	103.1	102.1	103.9	96.6
February	86.7	97.3	103.0	101.5	104.0	95.1
March	86.3	95.9	102.7	101.0	104.0	94.0
April	86.6	95.7	103.1	101.9	104.6	94.1
May	86.2	95.9	103.4	102.7	105.0	94.0
June	87.3	98.0	103.9	103.3	105.4	94.9
July	88.0	100.5	104.5	104.4	105.8	95.3
August	87.4	102.4	105.0	105.5	106.5	95.5
September	86.3	101.1	105.2	105.3	106.9	95.1
October	86.4	101.1	105.7	106.3	107.5	95.6
November	85.5	100.4	106.0	106.8	107.8	95.6
December	86.0	103.8	107.1	108.9	108.6	97.9
1988-						
January	86.8	105.3	108.4	110.0	109.8	98.1
February	85.8	104.5	108.5	109.2	110.0	96.8
March	83.7	104.6	108.6	109.5	110.4	95.7
April	84.8	104.6	109.5	110.0	111.0	96.3
May	85.6	109.4	110.8	111.9	112.1	97.7
June	86.2	116.6	111.9	114.8	113.2	99.5
July	86.1	111.4	112.1	113.2	112.9	99.4
August	85.8	112.3	112.7	113.6	113.3	98.8
September	85.4	111.2	113.3	113.7	113.6	98.2
October	85.0	111.8	113.7	114.7	114.0	98.0
November	85.8	114.1	114.5	116.5	115.1	99.8
December	87.6	117.4	115.8	118.5	116.2	102.6
1989-						
January	90.2	118.9	117.3	119.9	117.4	103.9
February	89.0	115.0	116.8	118.2	116.9	101.7

(a) Includes components other than those shown.

TABLE 14  
INDEX OF PRODUCER PRICES  
OUTPUT OF SECTORS OF INDUSTRY  
UNITED KINGDOM

1985 = 100

Source: Monthly Digest of Statistics - U.K.

Period	SIC 1980					Total Manufacturing (a)
	Chemical Industry	Metal Manu- facturing	Mech- anical Engin- eering	Electrical and Electronic Engineering	Instrument Engineering	
1984	95.3	95.0	95.0	95.5	95.8	95.0
1985	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1986	101.7	98.7	104.4	104.2	104.9	104.3
1987	105.8	101.3	109.0	108.3	109.3	108.3
1988	111.5	109.8	114.8	111.9	114.3	113.2
1985- January	97.8	99.7	97.4	97.6	98.8	97.6
February	98.0	100.7	98.0	98.1	98.9	98.1
March	98.7	100.6	98.5	99.0	98.9	98.8
April	99.4	101.3	99.5	99.7	99.4	99.7
May	100.2	101.4	99.7	100.0	99.4	100.0
June	99.7	100.8	100.0	100.1	99.4	100.1
July	100.3	100.0	100.3	100.3	99.9	100.3
August	100.3	99.6	100.9	100.4	100.5	100.4
September	100.7	99.6	101.0	100.6	100.5	100.7
October	101.1	98.8	101.2	100.9	101.3	101.0
November	101.2	98.7	101.4	101.5	101.4	101.4
December	101.2	98.7	102.0	101.5	101.4	101.7
1986- January	102.2	98.7	102.8	102.9	103.5	102.4
February	102.7	99.3	103.3	103.1	103.7	102.8
March	102.5	98.3	103.4	103.3	103.9	103.3
April	102.2	98.5	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.0
May	101.2	98.4	104.2	104.0	104.3	104.2
June	101.6	98.0	104.4	104.2	104.4	104.3
July	101.3	98.2	104.6	104.3	105.4	104.4
August	100.7	98.3	105.0	104.5	105.7	104.6
September	100.9	98.6	105.2	104.8	105.8	104.9
October	101.4	99.1	105.3	104.8	106.2	105.1
November	101.7	99.1	105.4	104.8	106.2	105.5
December	101.7	99.6	105.6	105.2	106.3	105.8
1987- January	102.6	99.1	106.8	106.9	107.9	106.6
February	103.5	99.0	107.2	107.2	108.4	106.9
March	104.0	99.2	107.5	107.7	108.6	107.2
April	104.9	99.8	108.3	107.9	108.9	107.7
May	105.2	100.5	108.7	107.9	109.0	108.1
June	105.8	100.5	109.2	107.7	109.0	108.2
July	106.3	101.4	109.5	107.9	109.6	108.4
August	106.6	102.2	109.8	108.2	109.6	108.6
September	107.3	102.0	109.9	108.4	109.7	108.9
October	107.5	102.7	110.0	110.2	110.0	109.6
November	107.8	104.0	110.4	109.4	110.1	109.8
December	108.0	105.4	110.8	109.5	110.3	110.0
1988- January	109.4	106.5	111.8	110.3	111.6	110.6
February	110.2	105.8	112.3	110.6	112.2	111.0
March	110.4	105.9	112.8	110.9	112.3	111.4
April	110.6	107.0	113.2	111.3	113.6	112.2
May	110.8	107.6	114.6	111.5	113.8	112.6
June	110.9	109.1	114.8	111.7	114.2	113.0
July	111.5	109.9	115.4	111.9	114.3	113.5
August	111.8	110.4	115.7	112.2	115.2	113.9
September	111.9	111.7	116.1	112.5	115.7	114.3
October	113.0	113.2	116.4	113.1	115.9	114.9
November	113.6	114.6	116.9	113.5	116.1	115.2
December	113.7	115.9	117.2	113.8	116.6	115.4
1989- January	115.0	116.7	118.8	114.7	118.8	116.5
February	115.5	116.3	119.4	115.0	119.7	116.8

(a) Includes components other than those shown.

TABLE 15  
 INDEX NUMBERS OF PRODUCER PRICES - SELECTED COMMODITIES  
 UNITED KINGDOM  
 1985 = 100

Source: British Business (Weekly Edition) - U.K.

Year	SIC 1980					
	Ordinary Steel	Sheet Piling	Heavy Sections	Hot rolled Coil plate and Sheet	Zinc coated lead coated and other coated sheet	Plate 3 mm and over
1985	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1986	101.8	103.2	103.2	102.8	100.0	102.2
1987	102.3	109.0	103.7	105.1	100.0	102.7
1988	106.2	114.0	106.0	110.3	100.0	107.3
1986-						
January	100.7	100.9	103.6	101.6	100.0	100.5
February	100.7	100.9	103.6	101.6	100.0	100.5
March	100.8	100.9	103.6	101.9	100.0	100.6
April	102.3	100.9	103.6	105.2	100.0	102.7
May	102.3	100.9	103.6	105.2	100.0	102.7
June	102.2	101.2	102.2	105.2	100.0	102.7
July	102.5	105.6	102.2	105.4	100.0	102.7
August	102.5	105.6	102.2	105.6	100.0	102.7
September	102.2	105.6	102.2	105.6	100.0	102.7
October	102.2	105.6	102.2	105.6	100.0	102.7
November	102.2	105.6	102.2	105.6	100.0	102.7
December	102.2	105.6	102.2	105.6	100.0	102.7
1987-						
January	102.3	105.6	103.6	105.6	100.0	102.7
February	102.2	105.6	103.1	105.6	100.0	102.7
March	102.1	105.6	102.6	105.6	100.0	102.7
April	102.6	107.6	104.4	105.6	100.0	102.7
May	102.5	110.4	104.4	105.6	100.0	102.7
June	102.4	110.4	103.9	105.6	100.0	102.7
July	102.9	110.4	103.9	106.1	100.0	102.7
August	102.9	110.4	103.9	106.1	100.0	102.7
September	102.9	110.4	103.9	106.1	100.0	102.7
October	103.0	110.4	104.1	106.1	100.0	102.7
November	103.1	110.4	104.1	106.1	100.0	102.7
December	103.1	110.4	104.1	106.1	100.0	102.7
1988-						
January	103.6	110.4	104.6	108.0	100.0	107.0
February	104.0	110.4	104.6	108.1	100.0	107.3
March	104.1	110.4	104.6	108.1	100.0	107.3
April	105.6	115.0	105.7	110.9	100.0	107.3
May	105.9	115.3	106.1	111.1	100.0	107.3
June	106.4	115.3	106.1	111.1	100.0	107.3
July	106.6	115.3	106.1	111.1	100.0	107.3
August	107.5	115.3	106.1	111.1	100.0	107.3
September	107.6	115.3	106.1	111.1	100.0	107.3
October	107.7	115.3	107.2	111.1	100.0	107.3
November	107.8	115.3	107.2	111.1	100.0	107.3
December	107.8	115.3	108.1	111.1	100.0	107.3
1989-						
January	108.2	115.3	108.8	111.1	100.0	107.3
February	108.3	115.3	108.8	111.4	100.0	107.9
March	108.6	115.3	108.8	113.7	100.0	113.4
April	108.8	115.3	108.8	113.7	100.0	113.4
May	108.8	115.3	108.8	113.7	100.0	113.4

TABLE 15  
 INDEX NUMBERS OF PRODUCER PRICES - SELECTED COMMODITIES  
 UNITED KINGDOM - continued  
 1985 = 100  
 Source: British Business (Weekly Edition) - U.K.

		SIC 1980				
Year	Merchant Bars Sections and Other Products	Steel Tubes	Single Drawn Wire of Iron and Steel, Whether Covered or Not (Excl. Insulated Electric Wire)	Aluminium Plate, Sheet, Strip Circles and Blanks	Aluminium Extrusions and Tubes (Bars, Rods, Sections etc)	Copper Tubes
1985	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1986	100.4	103.6	104.7	94.5	99.3	99.2
1987	103.3	109.2	108.5	97.8	100.1	112.5
1988	104.0	117.8	111.1	105.4	114.1	131.7
1986-						
January	-	101.0	102.7	95.8	97.5	98.9
February	-	101.6	103.1	95.2	109.1	99.4
March	-	101.6	103.1	93.8	96.2	99.2
April	-	102.5	104.3	93.2	96.4	98.9
May	-	102.7	104.3	96.8	96.8	97.2
June	-	102.7	104.3	90.8	97.0	97.4
July	-	102.7	104.3	97.5	99.2	96.7
August	-	102.7	104.3	97.2	99.0	95.8
September	-	102.7	104.3	94.1	99.6	97.7
October	-	102.7	104.8	94.9	101.7	101.1
November	-	102.6	104.8	93.9	99.9	101.0
December	-	103.7	106.1	94.5	99.2	101.6
1987-						
January	103.3	104.1	106.8	94.4	102.3	100.9
February	103.3	104.1	106.8	98.9	98.8	101.7
March	103.3	109.7	106.8	97.5	98.7	105.5
April	103.3	109.7	106.8	98.9	98.8	105.5
May	103.3	109.7	107.6	101.6	99.0	104.1
June	103.3	109.7	107.6	95.3	97.4	106.4
July	103.3	109.9	107.6	93.5	99.1	111.3
August	103.3	109.9	109.7	99.7	99.5	114.0
September	103.3	109.9	110.0	96.2	99.1	115.8
October	103.3	110.8	110.2	97.6	102.5	119.9
November	103.3	110.9	110.3	97.2	103.8	127.5
December	103.3	110.9	110.3	100.6	103.7	138.4
1988-						
January	102.2	114.4	110.3	100.8	105.6	138.5
February	102.2	115.1	110.4	103.6	103.6	128.6
March	102.2	115.4	110.4	118.0	105.5	126.4
April	103.6	116.6	110.4	102.6	107.4	126.2
May	103.7	117.0	110.5	102.6	109.8	125.0
June	103.7	117.5	110.2	104.2	111.2	129.9
July	103.7	117.7	110.2	106.5	116.6	128.8
August	103.7	117.9	110.2	107.4	118.7	127.6
September	103.7	117.9	112.6	109.9	117.4	136.0
October	106.8	116.4	112.6	109.9	122.1	140.1
November	106.2	122.2	112.6	110.6	124.2	135.7
December	106.2	122.3	112.9	108.0	127.2	138.1
1989-						
January	109.7	123.1	114.7	110.9	125.8	139.9
February	109.8	123.9	114.6	111.5	127.0	139.0
March	111.2	123.9	114.7	118.8	127.1	141.4
April	112.0	124.2	114.9	118.8	127.1	140.6
May	112.0	124.3	114.8	118.8	127.1	141.4

TABLE 16

COST INDICES FOR THE AEROSPACE AND RADIO, RADAR  
AND ELECTRONIC INDUSTRIES - UNITED KINGDOM

1975=100

Source: British Business (Weekly Edition) UK

Period	Aerospace Industry (a)						Radio, Radar and Electronic Capital Goods Industry
	Aerospace Industry	Airframe Sector	Aero-engine and Aero-engine Parts Sector	Aero-engine Parts Sector	Aircraft Component Sector		
1975	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0		100.0
1976	117.7	117.3	118.6	117.9	117.0		118.3
1977	133.3	132.5	134.7	134.0	132.0		134.4
1978	150.5	150.0	151.7	151.2	149.2		151.8
1979	178.1	176.7	180.2	178.6	176.4		175.7
1980	214.8	213.9	216.2	214.9	213.3		207.5
1981	236.5	236.1	237.3	236.1	234.9		231.8
1982	254.4	254.3	254.8	254.0	252.4		254.1
1983	268.2	268.5	268.0	267.3	266.6		269.3
1984	288.6	289.4	287.8	286.2	288.1		290.0
1985	306.6	306.8	306.4	304.1	305.4		310.2
1986	323.4	324.8	321.2	319.7	323.5		327.1
1987	343.9	346.3	340.2	337.6	344.8		348.5
1985 -							
April	304.4	304.5	304.3	301.8	302.9		311.3
May	303.2	303.2	303.4	301.0	301.6		307.8
June	306.2	306.1	306.5	304.0	304.8		309.7
July	308.1	308.0	308.2	305.8	306.9		311.0
August	307.0	307.3	306.7	304.6	305.7		309.9
September	310.7	311.0	310.2	308.0	309.7		312.8
October	310.8	311.2	310.3	308.2	309.8		313.8
November	314.1	314.4	313.6	311.4	313.3		316.0
December	316.4	316.7	315.7	313.4	315.7		319.1
1986 -							
January	316.5	317.2	315.4	313.3	315.9		320.2
February	317.1	318.2	315.6	313.8	316.7		320.9
March	317.5	318.6	315.9	314.2	317.0		321.9
April	320.9	322.4	318.6	317.2	320.6		327.6
May	319.1	320.6	316.9	315.9	318.9		322.9
June	321.8	323.1	319.6	318.3	321.7		326.9
July	322.6	324.1	320.1	319.1	323.1		326.0
August	323.2	324.8	320.5	319.4	323.5		326.4
September	325.8	327.4	323.1	321.8	326.3		328.6
October	328.3	329.9	325.5	324.1	328.9		331.1
November	332.5	333.7	330.1	328.1	333.2		334.2
December	335.9	337.1	333.6	331.3	336.7		338.5
1987 -							
January	336.4	338.5	333.3	331.0	337.1		338.5
February	337.4	339.6	334.0	331.8	338.2		339.0
March	338.5	340.9	334.9	332.8	339.4		340.8
April	341.5	343.9	337.9	335.5	342.2		345.5
May	341.4	343.7	337.9	335.4	342.3		343.7
June	344.3	346.4	340.8	338.1	345.2		348.2
July	346.1	348.3	342.6	339.9	347.2		350.2
August	344.3	346.8	340.6	337.9	344.9		349.5
September	346.1	348.8	342.1	339.4	346.9		352.6
October	347.8	350.6	343.5	340.9	348.9		354.7
November	349.4	352.2	345.1	342.4	350.8		356.7
December	353.5	356.3	349.2	346.4	355.1		362.4
1988 -							
January	353.5	356.2	349.3	346.5	354.5		364.2
February	351.6	354.4	347.3	344.7	352.2		364.3
March	356.0	358.6	352.1	349.0	356.6		366.8
April	360.2	362.6	356.3	352.8	360.6		373.1
May	359.4	361.8	355.7	352.3	359.8		370.3
June	361.6	364.0	357.9	354.5	362.3		372.8

(a) Includes all goods purchased, salaries and general expenses.

TABLE 17

INDEX OF AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS FOR  
SELECTED MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES  
USA

1980 = 100

Source: Monthly Labour Review - USA

Period	Chemicals and Allied Products	Fabricated Metal Products	Machinery Except Electrical	Instruments and Related Products	Electrical & Electronic Equipment
1980	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1981	110.1	109.8	109.9	109.0	109.9
1982	118.2	114.4	112.1	116.4	116.3
1983	127.8	123.1	117.9	124.0	126.3
1984	134.8	129.1	127.2	132.3	133.3
1985	140.8	132.9	130.2	136.1	138.3
1986	145.9	135.5	134.3	140.6	142.5
1987	152.1	137.9	137.9	145.6	145.5
1988	155.8	142.1	142.7	149.6	149.5
1986-					
January	144.1	135.3	133.5	138.8	141.9
February	143.1	134.0	133.2	139.5	140.2
March	143.8	135.7	134.8	141.2	142.2
April	143.9	133.8	133.5	139.8	141.2
May	145.1	134.3	133.5	138.6	141.5
June	146.1	135.4	134.1	139.8	141.7
July	145.9	132.2	131.5	138.6	140.7
August	145.7	133.6	133.1	139.4	142.3
September	146.9	136.2	134.5	141.0	144.5
October	147.1	135.1	133.6	141.4	143.0
November	150.5	136.7	135.3	144.5	145.2
December	151.4	139.7	138.7	147.5	149.2
1987-					
January	149.4	137.4	136.2	143.8	145.6
February	149.4	137.2	137.1	144.6	144.9
March	149.8	137.5	137.9	145.3	144.9
April	150.9	135.4	135.7	142.7	142.5
May	150.7	136.9	137.0	144.5	143.7
June	150.2	138.3	138.8	145.7	145.6
July	150.7	134.7	136.5	144.2	143.9
August	151.0	136.6	137.1	146.2	145.4
September	156.3	136.2	137.1	145.8	145.5
October	154.3	140.8	140.4	148.4	147.2
November	156.3	142.4	142.4	145.0	149.0
December	158.1	144.7	145.5	146.5	151.9
1988-					
January	155.5	140.7	142.0	146.4	149.2
February	154.8	139.2	140.6	144.2	146.7
March	155.3	140.3	141.5	145.0	148.1
April	154.3	141.7	141.7	144.8	148.5
May	154.2	141.8	141.3	143.5	148.6
June	155.8	143.6	142.4	144.3	150.5
July	155.6	138.8	141.5	144.0	147.6
August	154.0	140.8	140.4	144.1	148.6
September	157.4	144.2	144.3	146.4	150.7
October	157.8	144.2	143.9	147.9	150.3
November	159.9	146.3	146.2	149.0	153.0
December	161.5	148.1	148.6	149.7	155.2
1989-					
January	159.0	145.5	145.3	148.1	151.9
February	159.4	144.1	145.0	148.0	150.1
March	159.4	144.6	145.6	147.2	150.3
April	159.2	145.2	145.3	148.4	151.4

TABLE 18

**AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS FOR SELECTED MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES  
USA (\$09)**

Source: Monthly Labour Review (USA)

Period	Contract Construction	Durable Goods	Manufacturing
1980	367.78	310.78	-
1981	399.78	343.31	-
1982	426.82	355.27	-
1983	442.97	383.17	354.08
1984	458.51	403.24	374.03
1985	464.46	416.12	386.37
1986	466.75	424.98	396.01
1987	479.68	432.85	406.31
1988	491.56	447.26	417.99
1985-			
May	466.34	413.06	382.45
June	462.46	417.31	387.46
July	471.31	410.06	382.96
August	471.55	412.46	384.35
September	479.71	420.21	390.46
October	475.69	419.20	390.05
November	450.68	424.13	393.87
December	460.14	439.45	406.16
1986-January	459.05	425.19	394.79
February	434.72	421.89	390.91
March	444.81	426.42	395.60
April	462.10	423.54	392.85
May	468.82	423.54	394.63
June	466.45	423.54	396.17
July	471.39	416.56	391.55
August	476.45	420.04	393.98
September	484.72	428.06	398.93
October	480.57	424.15	395.60
November	462.09	429.73	400.98
December	469.94	439.92	408.78
1987-			
January	467.98	430.77	401.47
February	460.37	431.19	401.47
March	470.87	432.22	402.87
April	469.37	427.03	398.75
May	485.10	431.60	403.68
June	482.35	433.68	405.66
July	486.36	425.58	400.72
August	489.45	429.11	403.27
September	466.84	431.14	407.59
October	497.42	438.06	410.94
November	475.99	442.68	414.41
December	481.66	449.44	420.93
1988-			
January	466.34	440.96	412.87
February	462.80	436.95	409.04
March	481.34	440.54	411.86
April	488.15	444.11	414.92
May	491.63	444.94	414.73
June	497.30	448.98	418.59
July	497.04	439.60	413.51
August	499.87	439.43	412.90
September	504.19	452.76	423.33
October	512.07	452.76	422.91
November	491.61	457.87	427.45
December	489.55	462.16	431.39
1989-			
January	481.21	454.11	425.17
February	475.44	452.35	423.10
March	493.11	455.36	424.95
April	501.03	456.20	426.40

TABLE 19

INDEX OF STRAIGHT-TIME AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS  
FOR SELECTED SHIPYARDS, ALL REGIONS  
USA

September 1980 = 100

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

Year	Average
1978	80.5
1979	88.7
1980	97.9
1981	106.8
1982	116.5
1983	123.0
1984	127.0
1985	130.7
1986	134.5
1987	136.2

Month	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988
January	113.6	121.3	127.6	129.1	132.4	136.6	134.9
February	114.4	121.8	127.0	128.8	132.3	136.3	134.2
March	114.5	121.9	126.9	131.0	132.3	136.5	134.1
April	114.6	121.8	126.6	130.9	132.7	136.6	133.4
May	114.3	121.9	126.0	130.9	135.2	136.5	133.4
June	114.1	121.3	125.7	130.6	134.8	136.6	133.2
July	116.4	122.6	126.4	130.6	135.4	137.0	
August	117.4	122.7	126.7	130.9	135.4	136.4	
September	118.1	123.2	126.8	130.9	135.5	136.4	
October	120.0	124.2	127.7	131.6	135.9	135.6	
November	120.0	126.3	127.7	131.4	135.7	134.9	
December	120.6	127.0	128.6	131.9	135.9	134.9	

Note:

The Bureau of Labor Statistics has been unable to publish the Labour Index of Straight-Time Average Hourly Earnings since June 1988 due to a lack of satisfactory data from one of the major shipyards.

TABLE 20  
INDEX OF PRODUCER PRICES  
USA

1982 = 100

Source: Producer Price Indexes (USA)

Period	Chemicals and Allied Products	Metals and Metal Products	Iron and Steel	Non- Ferrous Metals	Plumbing Fixtures and Brass Fittings	Machinery and Equipment	Electrical Machinery and Equipment
1978	68.0	75.3	74.8	78.8	71.4	70.3	71.2
1979	76.1	86.0	83.6	99.3	77.9	76.7	77.2
1980	89.1	94.9	90.0	115.7	88.5	86.0	87.1
1981	98.4	99.6	98.4	108.4	96.0	94.4	95.1
1982	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1983	100.2	101.9	101.3	104.7	103.8	102.7	103.7
1984	102.9	104.8	105.2	105.1	108.6	105.1	107.4
1985	103.7	104.4	104.8	99.6	111.9	107.2	109.6
1986	102.6	103.2	101.1	98.5	115.5	108.8	111.2
1987	106.4	107.1	104.6	108.8	119.7	110.4	112.6
1986 -							
January	104.4	103.1	101.0	98.5	113.0	108.0	110.3
February	103.9	103.2	101.0	98.6	113.5	108.2	110.6
March	103.9	103.2	100.7	99.3	115.8	108.3	110.3
April	102.7	103.1	100.9	98.5	115.8	108.6	111.0
May	102.1	103.0	101.2	97.9	115.9	108.6	111.0
June	102.1	103.0	101.0	98.2	116.3	108.7	110.8
July	102.1	102.9	101.1	97.6	116.2	109.0	111.5
August	101.7	103.1	101.2	98.1	115.9	109.1	111.5
September	101.8	103.3	101.4	98.7	116.1	109.1	111.7
October	102.0	103.4	101.4	99.0	115.9	109.2	111.7
November	102.2	103.4	101.2	98.9	115.8	109.4	111.8
December	102.0	103.3	101.3	98.5	115.6	109.5	111.9
1987 -							
January	103.0	103.7	102.0	99.1	116.2	109.8	112.3
February	103.6	103.8	102.3	99.1	118.4	109.9	112.4
March	104.3	104.0	101.9	100.2	118.3	110.0	112.3
April	105.2	104.4	101.9	101.8	118.7	110.0	112.2
May	105.9	105.2	102.2	104.6	120.0	110.2	112.3
June	107.1	105.8	102.5	106.0	120.1	110.1	112.2
July	107.0	106.7	103.1	109.1	120.2	110.4	112.7
August	107.1	107.7	103.7	112.0	120.5	110.6	112.9
September	107.5	108.8	105.4	114.2	120.6	110.6	112.7
October	108.2	110.8	109.5	116.7	120.9	110.9	113.1
November	108.8	111.7	110.4	118.5	121.2	111.0	113.2
December	109.1	112.9	109.9	124.1	121.7	111.3	113.4
1988 -							
January	110.6	114.4	110.9	127.5	121.9	111.9	113.7
February	110.8	114.4	112.6	125.0	123.7	112.0	113.9
March	112.8	115.1	113.5	125.1	125.2	112.3	114.0
April	113.8	116.8	114.5	129.0	125.5	112.6	114.2
May	114.5	117.1	114.6	129.4	125.9	112.9	114.4

TABLE 21  
INDEX OF PRODUCER PRICES FOR THE OUTPUT OF SELECTED COMMODITIES  
UNITED STATES

JUNE 1982 = 100

Source: Producer Price Indexes (USA)

Year	Steel Ingots and Semifinished Shapes and Forms	Hot Rolled Sheet and Strip	Hot Rolled Bars and Bar Shapes, Plates Structural Shapes		Steel Pipe and Tubes	Cold Rolled Steel Sheets and Strip	Cold Finished Steel Bars
1982	99.9	100.7	99.2		99.4	99.8	101.2
1983	100.0	105.4	98.1		89.7	106.4	99.3
1984	100.3	110.7	100.8		89.5	112.9	105.4
1985	100.1	111.8	101.0		89.5	111.9	105.0
1986	98.8	107.9	93.5		84.5	104.8	103.6
1987	99.7	111.5	96.2		85.6	110.0	101.0
1986 - April	98.9	107.4	93.2		84.2	103.7	104.7
May	98.9	108.0	93.5		84.2	105.3	104.7
June	98.9	108.1	93.2		84.2	105.0	104.6
July	98.9	108.5	93.2		84.1	104.9	104.6
August	98.9	108.9	93.1		84.1	105.2	104.0
September	98.9	108.5	94.2		84.1	105.8	102.0
October	98.7	109.0	94.2		84.0	106.0	101.8
November	98.7	108.1	94.1		84.0	106.4	100.8
December	98.6	108.3	93.8		84.0	105.9	100.8
1987 - January	99.1	110.1	93.9		84.0	108.0	100.5
February	99.1	110.2	93.9		84.9	108.4	100.5
March	99.1	109.9	93.8		84.8	108.5	100.5
April	99.2	110.4	94.6		84.8	108.2	101.3
May	99.2	109.9	94.7		84.8	109.0	101.3
June	99.2	109.2	94.3		84.8	108.9	101.3
July	98.9	109.8	95.8		84.9	108.6	101.0
August	99.4	110.5	95.9		84.9	108.8	101.0
September	99.8	111.2	96.6		85.8	109.0	101.9
October	100.6	116.0	99.4		87.0	114.3	101.0
November	101.5	115.9	100.6		88.3	114.1	101.1
December	101.6	114.6	101.2		88.3	114.0	101.1
1988 - January	102.9	115.6	104.8		88.5	114.2	102.1
February	103.6	116.1	105.1		89.7	113.9	104.0
March	104.1	115.9	105.7		89.7	114.7	104.0
April	106.3	116.0	108.5		91.5	115.0	106.0
May	107.0	116.7	109.5		91.5	115.2	110.5

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TABLE 21  
INDEX OF PRODUCER PRICES FOR THE OUTPUT OF SELECTED COMMODITIES  
UNITED STATES - continued  
JUNE 1980 = 100

Source: Monthly Producer Price Indexes (USA)

Year	Refined Copper	Aluminum Ingot	Copper and Alloy Sheet, Strip and Plate (a)	Aluminum Plate, Heat-Treatable (b)	Aluminum Sheet (b)	Aluminum Extruded and raw Tube (c)	Extruded Aluminum Rod, Bar and Other (c)
1982	80.6	72.1	98.9	102.9	102.5	101.1	98.3
1983	85.4	(d)	104.7	104.8	104.6	103.2	100.9
1984	74.7	97.1	105.1	116.1	116.3	110.3	108.8
1985	74.9	78.6	106.6	107.2	112.0	107.2	104.9
1986	75.8	83.0	105.3	104.0	104.5	107.1	104.0
1987	92.4	97.2	117.5	(d)	106.7	108.7	111.1
1986 -							
April	77.8	91.2	105.3	101.8	103.2	107.1	104.1
May	76.5	87.3	105.0	104.3	104.4	107.6	104.4
June	75.6	80.8	105.3	103.1	104.8	107.6	104.7
July	74.8	79.8	105.0	103.1	105.2	107.5	104.2
August	73.7	80.3	104.9	103.1	104.6	107.5	104.0
September	74.3	81.5	104.8	103.1	102.6	107.1	103.9
October	73.4	80.2	105.0	103.1	100.8	107.0	103.9
November	73.4	77.3	105.3	103.1	100.6	106.9	103.9
December	74.1	76.7	104.6	103.1	100.2	106.9	103.9
1987 -							
January	74.2	80.8	103.2	103.3	101.0	105.0	103.9
February	74.3	83.4	102.8	103.3	100.4	105.0	103.9
March	77.7	86.2	108.4	103.9	100.5	105.3	104.8
April	77.3	87.3	107.8	106.4	101.9	106.2	105.2
May	83.1	89.8	112.6	106.4	101.9	106.2	107.1
June	85.2	94.2	113.5	106.4	102.8	106.5	107.7
July	92.1	100.7	117.7	(d)	108.1	106.7	109.7
August	90.6	105.6	119.8	(d)	109.0	109.0	112.0
September	94.8	106.8	120.8	(d)	111.2	110.1	115.0
October	98.8	110.4	123.7	(d)	111.3	112.9	120.7
November	118.0	110.3	135.1	(d)	115.8	114.0	121.8
December	142.6	110.7	144.0	(d)	115.8	117.2	121.9
1988 -							
January	149.4	115.2	153.2	(d)	121.8	117.6	126.2
February	119.4	118.1	135.3	(d)	121.9	118.6	127.8
March	116.3	129.4	136.0	125.0	126.8	120.7	129.7
April	121.2	139.1	133.7	132.5	132.4	124.9	132.4
May	121.6	136.7	137.5	132.4	132.4	127.6	136.4

(a) December 1980 = 100 (b) June 1981 = 100 (c) December 1981 = 100 (d) Not available.

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TABLE 22

**MATERIAL INDEX FOR STEEL VESSEL CONTRACTS  
USA**

1967 = 100

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

Year	Average
1963	93.9
1964	94.7
1965	95.2
1966	97.7
1967	100.0
1968	102.1
1969	106.4
1970	113.3
1971	118.9
1972	123.3
1973	128.9
1974	159.6
1975	182.9
1976	195.0
1977	207.5
1978	225.5
1979	249.0
1980	273.4
1981	298.7
1982	308.9
1983	313.8
1984	323.6
1985	326.5
1986	323.3
1987	330.4
1988	353.4

Month	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989
January	308.2	320.2	326.0	321.9	325.7	342.7	364.0
February	311.7	321.5	326.4	322.3	326.1	346.6	366.8
March	312.5	322.1	327.0	322.2	325.8	348.1	367.7
April	312.7	322.8	327.0	322.9	325.6	350.5	367.9
May	312.6	323.3	326.7	323.3	326.2	351.4	
June	312.8	323.6	326.2	323.1	326.7	351.5	
July	313.6	324.3	326.4	323.5	328.1	355.5	
August	313.8	324.4	326.7	323.7	329.2	357.6	
September	316.3	324.9	326.6	324.1	332.0	357.5	
October	316.3	325.3	326.6	324.2	338.4	359.4	
November	317.1	325.3	326.1	324.0	340.2	359.4	
December	318.4	325.2	326.2	324.2	340.6	360.3	

TABLE 23

INDEX OF AND HOURLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING  
NEW ZEALAND

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - UN

Year	Hourly Earning SNZ	Index 1980 = 100
1978	3.83	72.8
1979	4.42	84.0
1980	5.26	100.0
1981	6.29	119.6
1982	7.18	136.5
1983	7.32	139.2
1984	7.90	150.2
1985	8.59	163.3
1986	10.01	190.3
1981-		
February	5.99	113.9
May	6.29	119.6
August	6.32	120.2
November	6.55	124.6
1982-		
February	7.00	133.2
May	7.36	140.1
August	6.95	132.2
November	6.99	133.0
1983-		
May	7.08	134.7
August	7.11	135.3
November	7.18	136.6
1984 -		
May	7.43	141.3
August	7.43	141.3
November	7.69	146.2
1985 -		
February	8.39	159.5
June	8.65	164.4
September	8.48	161.2
December	8.83	167.9
1986 -		
March	9.26	176.0
June	9.70	184.4
September	9.85	187.3
December	10.04	190.9

TABLE 24

INDEX OF AND HOURLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING  
CANADA

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - UN

Year	Hourly Earning \$	Index 1980 = 100
1979	7.44	91.0
1980	8.19	100.0
1981	9.17	112.0
1982	10.25	125.2
1983	10.59	129.3
1984	11.16	136.3
1985	11.59	141.5
1986	11.95	145.9
1987	12.24	149.5
1988	12.85	156.9
1985 -		
January	11.44	139.7
February	11.46	139.9
March	11.51	140.5
April	11.52	140.7
May	11.53	140.8
June	11.51	140.5
July	11.52	140.7
August	11.52	140.7
September	11.64	142.1
October	11.74	143.3
November	11.81	144.2
December	11.90	145.3
1986-		
January	11.88	145.1
February	11.91	145.4
March	11.90	145.3
April	11.84	144.6
May	11.88	145.1
June (a)	11.85	144.7
September	11.97	146.2
December	12.28	149.9
1987-		
March	12.19	148.8
June	11.93	145.7
September	12.35	150.8
December	12.48	152.4
1988-		
March	12.73	155.4
June	12.82	156.5
September	13.03	159.1
December	13.09	159.8

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TABLE 25

INDEX NUMBERS OF PRODUCERS PRICES AND WHOLESALE PRICES  
CANADA

1980 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - UN

Year	Raw Materials	Industrial Products
1980	100	100
1981	119	110
1982	129	117
1983	136	121
1984	138	127
1985	139	131
1986	115	132
1987	122	136
1988	115	141
1986 -		
May	(a)	(a)
June	(a)	(a)
July	(a)	(a)
August	(a)	(a)
September	(a)	(a)
October	112	132
November	112	132
December	113	132
1987 -		
March	116	133
April	118	134
May	122	135
June	124	135
July	125	136
August	127	137
September	125	137
October	124	137
November	125	138
December	123	138
1988 -		
January	121	140
February	118	139
March	117	139
April	117	140
May	118	141
June	118	141
July	116	142
August	114	142
September	113	143
October	112	143
November	111	143
December	111	143
1989 -		
January	114	144
February	117	144

(a) Not available

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TABLE 26  
INDEX OF INDUSTRY SELLING PRICES FOR SELECTED COMMODITIES

## CANADA

1981 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Industry Price Indexes - Canada

Year	Steel Castings	Pig Iron and Steel Ingots	Structural Steel Shapes Unfab		Carbon Steel Sheets Hot Rolled	Primary Steel Industries
			Heavy and Intermediate	Bar Size		
1981	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1982	108.7	110.6	104.4	103.4	110.3	108.7
1983	112.6	113.1	104.9	104.9	113.0	109.9
1984	117.8	117.5	105.0	106.4	118.0	113.5
1985	121.2	121.1	105.0	107.1	120.2	115.7
1986	125.0	122.1	108.3	107.2	120.5	116.9
1987	126.6	120.7	110.8	107.2	123.9	118.4
1988	129.2	123.2	118.9	110.8	130.3	125.2
1987 -						
March	126.4	120.2	108.9	107.2	123.9	117.5
April	126.4	120.5	109.4	107.2	123.9	117.9
May	126.4	120.9	109.4	107.2	123.9	117.8
June	126.4	121.0	110.7	107.2	123.9	117.9
July	126.4	120.5	110.7	107.2	123.9	117.9
August	126.4	120.7	110.7	107.2	123.9	118.3
September	126.4	120.3	110.7	107.2	123.9	118.4
October	126.4	120.4	113.2	107.2	124.2	119.8
November	126.4	120.8	113.6	107.2	124.0	120.0
December	128.5	120.6	114.9	107.2	124.0	120.5
1988 -						
March	128.5	122.8	119.2	107.2	124.2	122.7
April	128.9	122.4	119.3	107.4	129.1	124.1
May	128.9	122.5	119.3	107.4	129.2	124.2
June	128.9	124.3	119.3	110.7	129.2	125.7
July	129.0	124.0	119.3	113.7	133.1	126.4
August	129.9	124.3	119.3	113.7	134.4	127.3
September	129.9	124.3	119.3	113.7	134.4	127.2
October	129.9	123.8	119.3	113.7	134.4	127.2
November	129.9	124.6	119.3	113.7	134.4	127.2
1989 -						
January	130.6	125.2	119.3	114.2	133.1	127.6
February	130.7	124.7	119.3	114.2	133.1	127.8
March	131.8	127.3	118.8	113.5	133.1	128.0
April	131.8	127.1	118.8	113.5	133.1	128.3
May	131.8	127.0	118.8	112.4	132.9	128.2

TABLE 26  
INDEX OF INDUSTRY SELLING PRICES FOR SELECTED COMMODITIES  
CANADA - continued

1981 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Industry Price Indexes - Canada

Year	Steel Pipe and Tube Industry	Iron Foundries	Copper Ingots	Non-ferrous Metal Smelting and Refining	Aluminum Rolling, Casting and Extruding Industry	Copper Rolling, Casting and Extruding
1981	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1982	109.8	107.4	88.4	90.6	99.9	93.4
1983	108.9	109.0	92.8	95.6	103.6	99.2
1984	111.0	112.2	81.5	98.1	116.2	91.4
1985	112.1	116.6	87.2	91.7	111.2	93.0
1986	112.4	119.8	89.9	95.2	114.4	95.9
1987	113.0	121.9	106.9	106.5	117.7	108.6
1988	119.2	125.6	143.4	143.8	138.0	144.3
1987 -						
April	112.7	121.5	88.0	94.8	114.5	94.6
May	112.7	121.7	93.6	104.0	114.9	99.1
June	112.7	122.0	53.6	105.6	116.2	102.2
July	112.7	121.7	102.1	107.6	117.4	105.9
August	112.8	122.2	107.8	110.7	118.5	110.5
September	112.8	122.1	110.6	113.2	121.2	112.3
October	114.1	122.3	114.5	117.0	123.0	113.5
November	114.2	122.4	140.6	122.6	123.5	134.9
December	113.5	122.8	167.0	129.8	123.6	150.4
1988 -						
January	115.1	124.0	168.5	131.5	125.5	166.3
February	115.2	123.9	135.9	123.5	125.6	140.4
March	115.4	124.0	130.7	134.9	127.5	132.2
April	118.6	124.5	122.5	145.5	129.5	129.4
May	119.2	124.9	126.7	148.7	132.1	129.1
June	119.9	125.0	134.9	146.2	141.2	136.7
July	120.6	126.0	123.0	142.3	143.6	128.9
August	121.1	126.5	121.0	144.7	145.7	125.2
September	120.8	126.6	138.5	145.7	145.8	138.2
1989 -						
January	123.7	128.8	185.6	161.7	144.7	175.6
February	123.7	129.4	154.7	161.5	142.8	161.4
March	124.9	129.8	170.7	162.4	142.8	169.5
April	124.1	129.8	169.3	151.7	141.7	166.5
May	123.7	129.8	143.3	143.9	139.4	157.8

MINIMUM VALUE

TABLE 27

INDEX OF AND MONTHLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING  
JAPAN

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - UN

Year	Monthly Earnings '000 Yen	Index 1980 = 100
1977	200.8	82.1
1978	214.6	87.7
1979	227.8	93.1
1980	244.6	100.0
1981	259.7	106.2
1982	269.6	110.2
1983	279.1	114.1
1984	292.3	119.5
1985	299.5	122.4
1986	305.4	124.9
1987	313.2	128.0
1988	318.2	130.1
1985 -		
January	232.3	95.0
February	225.2	92.1
March	228.1	93.3
April	228.1	93.3
May	229.7	93.9
June	368.4	150.6
July	463.3	189.4
August	263.0	107.5
September	229.6	93.9
October	229.1	93.7
November	241.5	98.7
December	653.9	267.3
1986-		
January	237.5	97.1
February	230.4	94.2
March	233.2	95.3
April	234.6	95.9
May	235.2	96.2
June (a)	376.9	154.1
September	235.0	96.1
December	658.8	269.3
1987-		
March	238.8	97.6
June	379.9	155.3
September	243.3	99.5
December	682.9	279.2
1988 -		
March	242.5	99.1
June	390.6	159.7
September	246.0	100.6
December	693.9	283.7

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TABLE 28

INDEX NUMBERS OF PRODUCERS PRICES AND WHOLESALE PRICES  
JAPAN

1980 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics (UN)

Year	Raw Materials	Producers' Materials	Consumers' Goods
1980	100	100	100
1981	103	101	103
1982	111	103	104
1983	102	100	104
1984	99	99	104
1985	97	97	104
1986	65	86	102
1987	61	82	100
1988	58	82	98
1986-			
January	90	94	103
February	85	92	103
March	72	89	103
April	67	87	102
May	64	86	102
June	64	85	102
July	58	84	102
August	55	83	102
September	56	81	102
October	57	82	101
November	58	82	101
December	59	82	101
1987 -			
January	59	81	101
February	60	81	101
March	50	81	101
April	59	81	100
May	59	81	100
June	60	81	100
July	62	82	100
August	62	83	100
September	62	83	100
October	63	83	100
November	62	83	99
December	60	83	99
1988 -			
January	59	82	99
February	59	81	99
March	59	82	99
April	58	81	98
May	58	81	98
June	59	82	98
July	59	82	98
August	59	82	98
September	59	82	98
October	58	82	98
November	56	81	97
December	56	81	97
1989-			
January	58	82	97
February	59	82	98
March	60	82	98
April	62	84	98

TABLE 29  
INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES FOR SELECTED COMMODITIES

## JAPAN

1985 = 100

Source: Price Indexes Annual - Bank of Japan

Year	Electrical Machinery	Iron and Steel	Pig Iron	Steel Sections	Steel Plates	Heavy & Hot Rolled Medium Steel Sheets, Hoops and Strips
1985	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1986	93.6	94.5	100.0	87.0	96.2	99.6
1987	88.3	91.8	100.0	91.9	90.8	97.5
1988	84.9	94.2	99.6	97.0	92.5	97.8
1986 -						
January	95.1	98.0	100.0	96.0	99.3	99.8
February	95.0	97.1	100.0	91.7	98.8	99.7
March	95.0	96.2	100.0	87.2	98.3	99.6
April	94.5	95.4	100.0	85.9	97.8	99.6
May	94.4	94.6	100.0	84.5	97.6	99.5
June	94.3	94.4	100.0	85.5	97.5	99.6
July	93.8	94.1	100.0	86.6	97.1	99.6
August	93.2	93.8	100.0	87.0	96.6	99.6
September	92.8	93.6	100.0	85.9	96.3	99.5
October	92.2	93.0	100.0	85.0	92.8	99.5
November	91.6	92.3	100.0	84.6	91.4	99.5
December	91.2	91.9	100.0	84.2	90.4	99.5
1987 -						
January	90.9	91.0	100.0	83.4	89.8	98.3
February	90.5	90.9	100.0	84.2	89.8	98.3
March	90.0	90.5	100.0	85.4	90.0	97.1
April	89.2	90.0	100.0	85.4	90.1	97.1
May	88.7	89.7	100.0	84.8	90.1	97.1
June	88.3	89.5	100.0	84.9	90.0	97.1
July	88.0	89.9	100.0	85.9	89.9	97.1
August	87.8	91.0	100.0	90.4	90.5	97.2
September	87.5	93.4	100.0	98.3	91.4	97.6
October	86.9	94.6	100.0	105.9	92.2	97.7
November	86.1	95.5	100.0	107.6	92.9	97.9
December	86.1	95.6	100.0	106.7	93.4	98.0
1988 -						
January	85.9	95.0	100.0	104.1	93.6	98.0
February	85.6	94.1	100.0	100.1	93.3	97.9
March	85.5	94.0	100.0	98.8	92.8	97.8
April	85.3	93.5	100.0	95.6	92.4	97.8
May	85.0	93.3	100.0	94.4	92.4	97.8
June	84.9	94.0	100.0	95.0	92.4	97.8
July	84.8	94.6	99.4	96.3	92.4	97.8
August	84.6	94.6	99.1	96.6	92.4	97.8
September	84.5	94.7	99.1	96.2	92.4	97.8
October	84.3	94.5	99.1	95.9	92.2	97.8
November	84.0	94.0	99.1	95.7	92.1	97.8
December	83.9	93.8	99.1	94.8	91.9	97.7

TABLE 29  
 INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES FOR SELECTED COMMODITIES  
 JAPAN - continued  
 1985 = 100

Source: Price Indexes Annual - Bank of Japan

Year	Steel Pipes and Tubes	Structural Steel	Copper Ingot	Aluminium Ingot	Copper and Brass Products	Aluminium and Aluminium Alloy Rolled Products
1985	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1986	91.4	98.3	72.0	72.6	83.3	89.2
1987	89.4	91.6	77.6	77.8	81.4	86.9
1988	96.5	91.4	99.5	97.3	89.4	95.5
1986 -						
January	97.0	99.7	86.1	86.7	90.2	94.0
February	95.7	99.6	80.3	83.8	88.7	92.9
March	94.1	99.6	78.3	81.0	87.7	92.5
April	92.6	99.6	77.5	79.2	87.4	91.6
May	91.6	99.6	74.0	74.1	86.7	91.4
June	91.0	97.6	73.1	72.1	85.5	90.9
July	90.6	97.6	67.9	68.9	81.0	89.2
August	90.3	97.4	64.3	67.8	78.9	87.8
September	89.6	97.3	64.8	67.8	78.3	85.7
October	88.7	97.3	65.2	64.6	78.4	85.2
November	88.1	97.2	65.2	62.6	78.4	84.7
December	87.8	97.2	67.8	62.6	78.4	84.7
1987 -						
January	88.0	92.0	66.7	63.4	78.4	84.7
February	88.2	91.9	66.2	64.6	78.3	84.3
March	88.2	91.7	68.5	69.7	78.5	84.3
April	88.3	91.7	68.4	70.5	78.4	84.4
May	88.2	91.7	66.1	70.5	78.4	85.1
June	88.2	91.4	69.7	74.9	78.6	85.7
July	88.1	91.4	77.4	79.8	80.5	87.0
August	88.3	91.4	79.4	85.7	81.8	87.6
September	89.5	91.4	78.1	88.0	82.5	87.6
October	91.0	91.4	84.4	90.3	83.8	90.5
November	92.5	91.4	99.3	88.5	87.4	90.5
December	94.8	91.4	107.0	87.1	90.1	90.5
1988 -						
January	96.3	91.4	108.2	86.0	90.1	91.2
February	96.8	91.4	91.5	90.3	88.9	91.7
March	96.8	91.4	89.3	94.3	88.3	91.9
April	96.8	91.4	89.9	95.8	88.0	92.1
May	96.5	91.4	90.4	95.6	88.2	92.4
June	96.1	91.4	96.4	100.3	89.0	92.4
July	95.8	91.4	90.7	99.8	88.7	95.3
August	96.2	91.4	88.3	99.8	88.4	97.2
September	96.6	91.4	97.4	100.8	89.3	100.0
October	96.7	91.4	108.5	101.1	90.7	100.6
November	96.5	91.4	118.4	101.6	91.6	100.5
December	96.5	91.4	124.5	101.6	91.7	100.5

TABLE 30

## INDEX OF AND HOURLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING

## FRANCE

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - U.N.

Year	Hourly Earnings (Francs)	Index 1980 = 100
1979	15.78	87.0
1980	18.14	100.0
1981	20.72	114.2
1982	23.97	132.1
1983	26.70	147.2
1984	28.86	159.1
1985	31.56	174.0
1986	33.28	183.5
1987	34.35	189.4
1980 -		
September	19.12	5.4
December	19.68	108.5
1981 -		
March	20.21	1.4
June	21.07	116.2
September	21.92	120.8
December	22.80	125.7
1982 -		
March	23.86	131.5
June	24.59	135.6
September	24.62	135.7
December	25.63	141.3
1983 -		
January	25.63	141.3
April	26.43	145.7
July	27.10	149.4
October	27.64	152.4
1984 -		
January	28.19	155.4
April	28.61	157.7
July	29.14	160.6
October	29.49	162.6
1985 -		
January	29.55	162.9
June	31.64	174.4
September	32.17	177.3
December	32.46	178.9
1986 -		
March	32.84	181.0
June	33.15	182.7
September	33.45	184.4
December	33.69	185.7
1987 -		
March	33.81	186.4
June	34.22	188.6
September	34.55	190.5
December	34.81	191.9
1988 -		
March	34.97	192.8

TABLE 31

## INDEX OF AND HOURLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING

GERMANY F.R.

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - U.N.

Year	Hourly Earnings (D'Marks)	Index 1980 = 100
1979	12.36	93.8
1980	13.18	100.0
1981	13.92	105.6
1982	14.64	111.1
1983	15.14	114.9
1984	15.49	117.5
1985	16.20	122.9
1986	16.80	127.5
1987	17.53	133.0
1980-		
January	12.54	95.1
April	13.17	99.9
July	13.34	101.2
October	13.34	101.2
1981-		
January	13.45	102.0
April	13.70	103.9
July	14.06	106.7
October	14.13	107.2
1982-		
January	14.24	108.0
April	14.61	110.8
July	14.74	111.8
October	14.74	111.8
1983-		
January	14.78	112.1
April	15.13	114.8
July	15.23	115.5
October	15.24	115.6
1984-		
January	15.22	115.4
April	15.32	116.2
July	15.59	118.3
October	15.63	118.6
1985 -		
January	15.69	119.0
June	16.21	123.0
September	16.30	123.7
December	16.34	124.0
1986 -		
March	16.42	124.6
June	16.51	125.3
September	16.97	128.8
December	17.03	129.2
1987-		
March	17.18	130.3
June	17.41	132.1
September	17.63	133.8
December	17.71	134.4
1988-		
March	17.85	135.4
June	18.27	138.6

TABLE 32

INDEX NUMBERS OF PRODUCERS PRICES AND WHOLESALE PRICES  
NETHERLANDS

1980 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics (UN)

Year	Producers Materials	Industrial Products	Capital Goods
1980	100	100	100
1981	116	108	105
1982	120	113	111
1983	120	115	112
1984	129	120	115
1985	129	121	119
1986	101	113	121
1987	96	112	123
1988	96	113	123
1985-			
August	126	121	119
September	127	121	119
October	124	120	119
November	123	119	119
December	122	119	119
1986 -			
January	118	118	120
February	112	118	120
March	107	115	120
April	103	114	120
May	101	114	120
June	99	113	120
July	96	112	120
August	96	112	120
September	97	112	120
October	96	111	120
November	97	112	120
December	97	112	120
1987 -			
January	97	112	121
February	96	111	121
March	96	112	121
April	97	112	121
May	96	112	121
June	97	112	121
July	96	112	122
August	97	112	122
September	97	112	122
October	97	112	122
November	96	112	122
December	95	111	122
1988-			
January	95	111	122
February	95	111	122
March	94	111	122
April	94	112	123
May	95	112	123
June	96	113	123
July	97	113	124
August	98	114	124
September	98	114	124
October	97	114	124
November	97	115	124
December	99	115	124
1989-			
January	101	116	126
February	101	116	126

TABLE 33

INDEX OF AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS OF MALE EMPLOYEES  
NETHERLANDS

1980 = 100

Source: Maandschrift

Period	Employees Employed in -	
	Private Enterprise	Government
1980	100.0	100.0
1981	104.3	99.0
1982	112.3	102.8
1983	115.5	99.1
1984	116.9	97.7
1985	121.0	98.2
1986	123.3	100.7
1987	124.7	102.1
1988	126.1	102.4
1986-		
January	122.8	100.7
February	122.8	100.7
March	122.8	100.7
April	123.0	100.7
May	123.2	100.7
June	123.2	100.7
July	123.6	100.7
August	123.6	100.7
September	123.6	100.7
October	123.9	100.7
November	123.8	101.0
December	123.8	101.0
1987-		
January	124.5	102.0
February	124.5	102.0
March	124.6	102.0
April	124.8	102.0
May	124.3	102.0
June	124.2	102.0
July	124.8	102.0
August	124.9	102.0
September	124.9	102.5
October	124.9	102.5
November	124.9	102.5
December	124.9	102.5
1988-		
January	125.4	102.4
February	125.5	102.4
March	125.5	102.4
April	125.9	102.4
May	125.9	102.4
June	125.9	102.4
July	126.4	102.4
August	126.4	102.4
September	126.4	102.4
October	126.5	102.4
November	126.5	102.4
December	126.5	102.4
1989-		
January	126.7	104.2
February	126.8	104.2
March	126.9	104.2
April	127.1	104.2

TABLE 34

INDEX OF AND HOURLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING  
SWEDEN

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - UN

Year	Hourly Earnings (Krona)	Index 1980 =100
1979	30.11	92.2
1980	32.67	100.0
1981	36.24	110.9
1982	39.08	119.6
1983	41.53	127.1
1984	45.42	139.0
1985	49.33	151.0
1986	52.30	160.1
1987	56.43	172.7
1984-		
August	45.61	139.6
September	46.40	142.0
October	46.75	143.1
November	47.17	144.4
December	48.19	147.5
1985-		
January	47.48	145.3
February	47.95	146.8
March	48.25	147.7
April	49.08	150.2
May	49.85	152.6
June	49.54	151.6
July	49.88	152.7
August	48.97	149.9
September	49.69	152.1
October	49.81	152.5
November	50.23	153.7
December	51.17	156.6
1986-		
January	50.78	155.4
February	50.85	155.6
March	51.47	157.5
April	50.95	156.0
May	52.10	159.5
June (a)	51.66	158.1
September	53.13	162.6
December	54.77	167.6
1987-		
March	55.00	168.4
June	56.70	173.6
September	56.76	173.7
December	58.27	178.4
1988-		
March	58.33	178.5
June	60.78	186.0
September	61.47	188.2

(a) As from June 1986 indexes will be published on a quarterly basis only.

TABLE 35  
 INDEX OF SELECTED HOME MARKET  
 PRODUCER PRICES  
 SWEDEN

1985 = 100

Source: Main Economic Indicators (OECD)

Year	Manufactured Goods	Chemicals	Basic Metals	Metal Products
1980	63	60	69	67
1981	70	70	70	72
1982	79	80	80	81
1983	88	90	89	91
1984	95	96	96	96
1985	100	100	100	100
1986	100	83	97	106
1987	103	82	97	110
1988	109	85	113	115
1986-				
January	101	96	98	103
February	101	92	97	104
March	101	89	97	105
April	101	86	97	105
May	100	85	97	105
June	100	82	97	106
July	99	80	97	106
August	100	78	97	107
September	100	78	97	107
October	100	78	97	107
November	101	78	96	108
December	101	78	95	109
1987-				
January	102	80	96	109
February	102	80	95	110
March	102	80	95	109
April	102	81	95	109
May	102	81	95	109
June	102	81	97	110
July	103	83	97	110
August	104	84	98	110
September	104	83	99	111
October	104	84	99	111
November	105	83	100	111
December	105	82	102	112
1988-				
January	106	82	103	113
February	106	83	104	113
March	107	83	105	113
April	107	83	107	114
May	108	85	109	114
June	108	85	112	114
July	109	85	114	114
August	110	85	118	115
September	111	86	119	116
October	111	85	121	116
November	112	86	122	117
December	113	87	123	117
1989-				
January	114	89	127	118
February	115	90	130	118
March	116	91	132	119

TABLE 36  
 INDEX OF CONSUMER PRICES - ALL ITEMS  
 VARIOUS COUNTRIES

1980 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics (United Nations)

Year	Australia	United Kingdom	United States	Canada	New Zealand
1980	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1981	109.7	111.9	110.4	112.5	115.4
1982	121.9	121.5	117.2	124.6	133.9
1983	134.2	127.1	120.9	131.9	143.9
1984	139.5	133.4	126.1	137.6	152.7
1985	148.8	141.5	130.6	143.1	176.3
1986	162.4	146.3	133.0	148.9	199.7
1987	176.2	152.4	137.9	155.5	231.0
1988	-	159.9	143.6	161.8	245.3
1985- March	143.9	138.8	129.2	141.4	166.5
June	147.4	142.7	130.6	143.1	174.9
September	150.6	142.8	131.5	144.0	179.8
December	153.6	143.7	132.7	145.6	190.8
1986- March	157.2	144.7	132.1	147.3	198.1
June	159.8	146.3	132.8	148.4	193.3
September	164.0	147.1	133.7	149.9	199.7
December	168.7	149.0	134.1	151.7	217.5
1987- March	172.0	150.5	136.0	153.4	222.5
June	174.7	152.4	137.7	155.5	229.8
September	177.6	153.2	139.6	156.7	233.5
December	180.6	154.5	140.0	158.1	238.3
1988- March	183.8	155.7	141.4	159.7	242.5
June	187.0	159.5	143.2	161.5	244.4
September	190.7	162.2	145.4	163.1	246.6
December	-	165.0	146.2	164.4	249.5
1989- March	196.5	168.0	148.4	167.1	-

TABLE 36  
 INDEX OF CONSUMER PRICES - ALL ITEMS  
 VARIOUS COUNTRIES - continued

1980 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics (United Nations)

Year	France	Netherlands	Germany F.R.	Japan	Sweden	Italy
1980	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1981	113.4	106.7	106.3	104.9	112.1	119.5
1982	126.8	113.0	111.9	107.7	121.7	137.2
1983	139.0	116.2	115.6	109.7	132.6	157.3
1984	149.3	120.0	118.4	112.3	143.2	174.3
1985	158.0	122.7	121.0	114.5	153.8	190.3
1986	162.2	122.8	120.7	115.2	160.3	201.5
1987	167.3	122.0	121.0	115.3	167.0	211.0
1988	171.8	122.8	122.4	116.2	176.7	221.7
1985- March	155.8	122.3	120.9	113.4	152.1	186.6
June	158.3	122.8	121.4	114.6	153.9	190.4
September	159.3	123.2	120.9	114.7	154.5	192.3
December	160.3	123.2	121.4	115.2	157.1	196.9
1986- March	160.4	123.1	121.0	115.2	158.7	199.6
June	161.9	123.0	121.1	115.3	159.7	201.3
September	162.9	122.5	120.4	115.3	161.3	202.5
December	163.7	123.1	120.1	114.7	162.3	205.1
1987- March	165.7	121.8	120.7	114.7	164.7	208.0
June	167.2	121.7	121.3	115.7	165.0	210.5
September	168.1	122.5	120.9	116.3	169.3	212.9
December	168.8	122.2	121.3	115.6	170.7	215.8
1988- March	169.9	122.3	121.9	115.5	173.6	218.8
June	171.6	122.6	122.6	115.9	176.3	220.9
September	173.1	123.6	122.6	117.1	178.8	223.4
December	174.0	123.7	123.3	116.7	180.9	227.4
1989- March	-	123.3	125.2	116.7	184.8	231.8

TABLE 37  
GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT AT CURRENT PRICES  
VARIOUS COUNTRIES

Source: Main Economic Indicators (O.E.C.D.)

Period	Aust (SA)	UK (Ster)	US (\$US)	Canada (\$C)	Germany (DM)	Japan (Yen)	Sweden (Kronor)	Italy (Lira)
Million	Million	Million	'000 Million	'000 Million	'000 Million	'000 Million	'000 Million	'00 Billion
1980	123969	230045	2631.7	297.56	1485.8	235834	525.2	3387
1981	141482	253662	2957.8	339.80	1545.1	252000	524.8	4016
1982	160531	276155	3166.0	374.75	1597.2	269097	527.6	4705
1983	178151	300973	3405.7	405.72	1680.4	280566	539.0	6316
1984	201864	323325	3772.2	444.74	1770.0	298453	563.2	7282
1985	225912	353958	4014.9	478.77	1844.3	317441	575.9	8152
1986	247174	379136	4240.3	506.48	1945.2	331253	583.1	9022
1987	278100	414879	4526.7	549.69	2020.2	345292	596.2	9826
1988	314718	454060	4864.3	598.73	2121.4	-	604.3	-
Quarter								
1984-								
March	194284	315424	3670.9	430.29	1750.0	290811	557.7	5937
June	199356	314512	3743.8	441.12	1726.4	295835	555.6	6079
September	205581	320224	3799.7	446.85	1770.4	300284	564.0	7314
December	211290	330180	3851.8	457.86	1798.4	306064	574.5	7460
1985-								
March	2156118	343544	3921.1	465.90	1800.4	310572	570.8	7724
June	2263705	350680	3973.6	473.92	1823.6	314727	573.6	7959
September	2345243	356772	4042.0	483.81	1875.2	318826	577.4	8188
December	2363292	363804	4107.9	494.05	1880.0	324469	580.0	8432
1986-								
March	240154	370288	4180.4	497.58	1885.2	325463	588.9	8590
June	241416	375768	4207.6	504.03	1942.0	330439	580.5	8947
September	249044	378688	4268.4	509.25	1970.4	334113	578.9	9185
December	258128	391152	4304.6	515.07	1984.0	335285	582.2	9361
1987-								
March	265108	399848	4391.8	529.70	1984.0	338671	589.5	9482
June	275896	406468	4484.2	534.62	2005.6	339136	602.1	9752
September	281412	424444	4568.0	554.96	2031.6	348793	595.9	9935
December	289984	428756	4662.8	570.49	2059.6	353376	597.2	10134
1988-								
March	299444	436244	4724.5	581.16	2094.8	363221	603.7	10399
June	310556	451692	4823.8	592.64	2104.4	359160	610.8	10544
September	319000	456104	4909.0	604.15	2131.2	370452	597.7	-
December	329872	472200	4999.7	616.98	2155.2	372633	605.0	-

(a) 1980 Kronor market prices.

UNITED STATES DOLLARS

	at 1985 prices and 1985 exchange rates			at current prices and exchange rates		
	1980	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988
	Billion Dollars U.S.					
Canada	302.06	332.74	347.90	358.80	373.24	389.2
United States	3445.72	3823.19	3967.47	4085.91	4231.13	4394.7
Japan	1094.47	1266.30	1326.00	1358.62	1416.06	1496.8
Australia	135.97	149.99	157.34	160.70	167.34	172.2
New Zealand	19.36	21.92	22.18	22.92	22.37	22.40
Austria	60.80	63.52	65.16	66.05	67.06	69.3
Norway	66.97	70.89	79.60	81.15	82.81	85.5
Belgium	76.97	78.89	79.60	81.15	82.81	85.5
Denmark	55.66	55.66	58.05	59.82	59.40	59.4
Finland	46.90	52.52	54.34	55.58	57.69	60.0
France	585.61	514.00	522.52	533.40	545.02	564.0
Germany	487.03	609.67	621.78	636.28	648.68	672.3
Greece	31.28	32.41	33.42	33.83	33.70	34.8
Iceland	2.62	2.78	2.87	3.08	3.34	3.3
Ireland	16.69	18.34	18.63	18.57	19.32	19.6
Italy	392.80	445.18	427.16	439.48	453.13	469.9
Luxembourg	3.04	3.37	3.49	3.66	3.75	3.9
Netherlands	119.79	122.67	125.90	128.55	130.29	133.9
Norway	49.35	55.27	58.18	60.64	61.18	61.7
Portugal	19.71	20.11	20.68	21.57	22.58	23.5
Spain	153.19	160.30	164.01	169.38	178.77	187.6
Sweden	91.55	97.96	100.06	101.15	103.60	106.1
Switzerland	86.74	89.12	92.77	95.38	97.58	100.2
Turkey	41.80	50.22	52.78	57.18	61.36	65.4
United Kingdom	412.78	436.82	452.46	466.45	484.06	504.0

TABLE 39  
ESCALATION RATE PER ANNUM OF EARNINGS

Country	Index	Table Number Reference	Escalation Rates		
			From	To	Rate
Australia	Average Weekly Earnings of all Male Employees	1	1982	1988	6.9
			1984	1988	6.2
			Feb 1988	Feb 1989	7.7
	Hourly Wage Rates Garden Island Dockyards	3	1980	1988	10.1
			1984	1988	7.7
			Mar 1988	Mar 1989	7.6
	Hourly Wage Rates Williamstown Dockyard	3	1979	1987	10.3
			1983	1987	6.0
			Mar 1987	Mar 1988	9.2
United States	Average Weekly Earnings - Fabricated Metal Products	17	1980	1988	4.5
			1984	1988	2.4
			Apr 1988	Apr 1989	2.5
	Machinery Manufacture excl. Electrical	17	1980	1988	4.5
			1984	1988	2.9
			Apr 1988	Apr 1989	2.5
	Manufacturing	18	1983	1988	3.4
			1984	1988	2.8
			Apr 1988	Apr 1989	2.8
Netherlands	Average Hourly Earnings of Male Employees	33	1980	1988	2.9
			1984	1988	1.9
			Apr 1988	Apr 1989	1.0
	Employees Employed in Private Enterprise	33	1980	1988	0.3
			1984	1988	1.2
			Apr 1988	Apr 1989	1.8
Canada	Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing	24	1979	1987	6.4
			1983	1987	3.7
			Jun 1987	Jun 1988	7.5

TABLE 39  
ESCALATION RATE PER ANNUM OF EARNINGS - continued

Country	Index	Table Number Reference	Escalation Rates		
			From	To	% Rate
Japan	Monthly Earnings in Manufacturing	27	1980	1988	3.3
			1984	1988	2.1
			Dec 1987	Dec 1988	1.6
France	Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing	30	1979	1987	10.2
			1983	1987	6.5
			Mar 1987	Mar 1988	3.4
Germany F.R.	Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing	31	1979	1987	4.5
			1983	1987	3.7
			Jun 1987	Jun 1988	4.9
New Zealand	Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing	23	1978	1986	12.8
			1982	1986	8.7
			Dec 1985	Dec 1986	13.7
Sweden	Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing	34	1979	1987	8.2
			1983	1987	8.0
			Sep 1987	Sep 1988	8.3

Note: The yearly figures shown are averages for that year whereas the monthly figures shown relate to the index point for that month only.

TABLE 40  
ESCALATION RATES PER ANNUM OF PRODUCERS PRICE AND WHOLESALE PRICES

Country	Index	Table Number Reference	Escalation Rates		
			From	To	Rate
United Kingdom	Output - Metal Manufacturing	14	1984	1988	3.7
			Feb 1988	Feb 1989	9.9
	Electrical and Electronic Engineering	14	1984	1988	4.0
			Feb 1988	Feb 1989	4.0
	Instrument Engineering	14	1984	1988	4.5
			Feb 1988	Feb 1989	6.7
	Total Manufacturing Prices	14	1984	1988	4.5
			Feb 1988	Feb 1989	5.2
United States	Output Iron and Steel	20	1979	1987	2.8
			1983	1987	0.8
			May 1987	May 1988	12.2
	Machinery and Equipment	20	1979	1987	4.7
			1983	1987	1.3
			May 1987	May 1988	2.5
	Electrical Machinery and Equipment	20	1979	1987	4.3
			1983	1987	2.1
			May 1987	May 1988	1.3

TABLE 40  
ESCALATION RATES PER ANNUM OF PRODUCERS PRICES AND WHOLESALE PRICES - continued

Country	Index	Table Number Reference	Escalation Rates		
			From	To	Rate
Netherlands	Producers' Materials	32	1980	1988	-0.5
			1984	1988	-7.1
			Feb 1988	Feb 1989	6.3
	Industrial Products	32	1980	1988	1.5
			1984	1988	-1.5
			Feb 1988	Feb 1989	4.5
	Capital Goods	32	1980	1988	2.6
			1984	1988	1.7
			Feb 1988	Feb 1989	3.3
Canada	Raw Materials	25	1980	1988	1.8
			1984	1988	-4.5
			Feb 1988	Feb 1989	-0.8
	Industrial Products	25	1980	1988	4.4
			1984	1988	2.6
			Feb 1988	Feb 1989	3.6
Japan	Raw Materials	28	1980	1988	-6.6
			1984	1988	-12.5
			Apr 1988	Apr 1989	6.9
	Producers' Materials	28	1980	1988	-2.5
			1984	1988	-4.6
			Apr 1988	Apr 1989	3.7
Sweden	Manufactured Goods	35	1980	1988	7.1
			1984	1988	3.5
			Feb 1988	Feb 1989	8.5
	Basic Metals	35	1980	1988	6.4
			1984	1988	4.2
			Feb 1988	Feb 1989	4.4
	Metal Products	35	1980	1987	7.3
			1983	1987	5.0
			Oct 1987	Oct 1988	5.5

Note: The yearly figures shown are averages for that year whereas monthly figures shown relate to the index points for that month only.

# ECONOMIC INDICATORS - SELECTED COUNTRIES

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DBSEA	A-5-03A	DLRP	CP4-2-07
EODCS	APW2-401	MATPFIN (2)	E-4-21
DPUBS (for AGPs)	B-3-34	MMPC-AF	C-3-36
DDA (M & F)	CP3-5-4	PROJ RAV	J-2-13
AFPD	CP2-1-29	SEONP	CP1-2-22A
ANZAC-SP	Salvation Army House, Barton	SPD-FINANCE (3)	APW1-4-17
ASMA-CP	NCC-B1-WS57		
ASMAT-A	J-2-21	Defence Central Library	CP2-5-Bay 6
ASMAT-AF	F-2-52	Document Exchange Centre (19) APW2-G-CA2	
ASMAT-N	F-2-49	HEAD NEW ZEALAND DEFENCE STAFF NZ High Commission Commonwealth Avenue YARRALUMLA ACT 2600 (2)	
ASRP-N	A-4-24		
ASPA	F-2-44	Library RSC RAAF BASE FAIRBAIRN	
CCPD	H-1-18		
CEOCERA	F-1-30	PPO Log Sup HQSC RAAF Victoria Barracks St Kilda Road MELBOURNE VIC 3004	
DLRPROG	CP4-2-33		
DGMD	H-1-03		
CSE	CP3-3-05	Budget Management Section Supply Division HQ Log Comd 13th Floor 350 St Kilda Rd MELBOURNE VIC 3004	
DGEP	CP2-6-09		
DFRT	62 Northbourne Ave CANBERRA CITY ACT 2601 (4)		
DCL	CP2-5-17	Library Department of Administrative Services PO Box 1920 CANBERRA CITY ACT 2601	
DCOST	A-5-09		
DEMPS	J-3-21	Australian Frigate Project Directors Representative Private Bag No 4 WILLIAMSTOWN VIC 3016	
DGFM	CP1-3-22		
DNSMC	CP2-7-22	Assistant Secretary (Finance) Ministry of Defence Private Bag Wellington NEW ZEALAND	
DNSNC	CP2-6-06		
DPCS	G-3-66		
DSC-A	I-1-34	Defence Contracting Office (NSW) Director Financial Services Level 17, Remington Centre 175 Liverpool Street SYDNEY NSW 2000	
DSFP-AF	CP3-2-BAY 5		
FFG/DDG MOD	CP2-2-02		
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JIO Library	Building L		